

Annual Reports  
OF THE  
TOWN of NEWPORT  
NEW HAMPSHIRE

For the Year Ending

December 31, 1949



# ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, WATER AND SEWER  
COMMISSIONERS, CEMETERY TRUSTEES  
AND OTHER OFFICERS

of the

# Town of Newport

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Together with the Report of the  
SCHOOL BOARD



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## TOWN OFFICERS

**Moderator**

SAMUEL H. EDES

**Selectmen**

CLYDE G. PRATT

MAURICE H. CUMMINGS

FRANK E. HAVEN

**Town Manager**

LEON E. FITTS

**Town Clerk**

LEONARD F. DUDLEY

**Town Treasurer**

EARLE A. POLLARD

**Supervisors**

GUY DODGE

EDWARD KARR

HOWARD C. BENNETT

**Trust Fund Commission**

JOHN J. CONDON

LESLIE M. PIKE

RAYMOND A. EGGLESTON

**Health Officer**

LEON E. FITTS

**Fire Warden**

FRANK H. CRAM

**Fire Chief**

HERBERT H. WRIGHT

**Police Officers**

ALEXANDER P. LEWKO, Chief

MARSHALL C. PERKINS

HOWARD MASON

ARTHUR LAKE

**Special Officers**

FLOYD FOWLER

STANLEY KOPEC

**School Board**

JOHN F. LEE

HARRY M. WOODARD

DONALD E. MESSER

MADOLON P. KARR

GUY DODGE

**Superintendent of Schools**

GORDON B. FLINT

**Dog Warden**

MARSHALL C. PERKINS

**Water and Sewer Department**

FRANK H. CRAM, Foreman

SOPHIE G. REGO, Office Manager

**Highway Foreman**

MERTON A. GOBIN

**Auditors**

MARY C. KAINU

JOHN AVERY

ALBERT GAUTHIER

**Playground Commission**

LEON E. FITTS

PAUL L. BENNER

PAUL E. TRASK

SHERMAN WILKINS

**Tax Collector**

LEON E. FITTS

**Assistant Tax Collector**

ARTHUR S. NELSON

**Airport Commission**

HARRY WOODARD

JOHN AVERY

LEON E. FITTS

DR. R. A. BENSON

**Budget Committee**

JOHN J. CONDON, Chr.

PHILLIPS R. HALL

JACOB M. SHULINS, Sec.

GEORGE A. DORR, JR.

JOHN FAIRBANKS

JOHN G. POWERS

EDWARD PARISEAU

ETHAN A. SMITH

NATHAN DAIMONT



## TOWN WARRANT

## STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Newport, qualified to vote on Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town Hall in said Town of Newport on the second Tuesday of March next at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1.—To elect a Selectman for a term of three years; to elect a Town Treasurer; and a Town Clerk for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 2.—To elect a member of the Trust Fund Commission for three years, and all other officers, Auditors, Agents, and Committees necessary for the Town Business.

ARTICLE 3.—To see if the Town will vote to rescind its adoption of the Town Manager Plan as prescribed in the Revised Laws of the State of New Hampshire, Chapter 55, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 4.—To hear the reports of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Auditors and Committees heretofore chosen, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 5.—To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to borrow money on the notes of the Town in anticipation of Taxes, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 6.—To see what discount the Town will vote to allow on 1950 taxes if paid on or before July 15, 1950.

ARTICLE 7.—To see if the Town will rescind its vote at the 1949 Town Meeting instructing the Selectmen to renew the \$10,000.00 Richards Library note.

ARTICLE 8.—To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by the Town through Tax Collector's deeds.

ARTICLE 9.—To see if the Town will approve and adopt the recommendations of the Budget Committee, raise and appropriate the various sums contained in the report and listed in the Budget, which include the following recommended special appropriations:

(a) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1045.48 provided the State will contribute \$4181.92

to the Town to be used for T.R.A. Roads, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

(b) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for the collection of garbage for the ensuing year, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

(c) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$800.00 for Blister Rust Control, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

(d) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,000.00 to be used for the Carrie F. Wright Hospital at Newport, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

(e) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$350.00 for installation of a fire alarm box at the intersection of Maple Street and Park View, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

(f) To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and/or Town Manager to purchase a truck and plow for use of the Water and Highway Departments, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for such purpose, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

(g) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the Town, together with other towns in the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

(h) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,475.00 to be used for the Richards Free Library, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

(i) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the purpose of employing an engineer to make a general survey of the possibilities for an adequate and permanent water system for the Village of North Newport, said engineer to make a report and recommendations to the Selectmen of the Town not later than January 1st, 1951.

(j) To see if the Town of Newport will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the purpose of employing an engineer to make a general survey for the sewer construction on Newport Heights prior to the actual sewer construction authorized at the Town Meeting of 1949.

(k) To see if the Town will vote to authorize an expenditure of \$2,500.00 for construction of the sewer system so as to include the residents of Newport Heights, so-called, which sum is in addition to the amount raised for said purpose at the Town Meeting of 1949, and to instruct the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to issue notes or sewer bonds for the said amount of

\$2,500.00 as obligations against the Town. Said obligations to be signed by the Selectmen and the Town Treasurer, they to determine the rate of interest to be paid. Said sewer serial notes and/or sewer serial bonds in the amount of \$2,500.00 to be issued in compliance with the Laws of the State of New Hampshire, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

(1) To see if the Town will vote to extend its sewer and water lines from the now existing systems on Winter and Summer Streets to a point on Summer Street opposite the proposed site of the construction for the new hospital, and instruct the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to issue serial notes or serial bonds to the amount of \$6,500.00 as obligations against the Town. Said obligations to be signed by the Selectmen and the Town Treasurer, they to determine the rate of interest to be paid. Said sewer and water serial notes and/or sewer and water serial bonds to be issued in compliance with the Laws of the State of New Hampshire, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 10.—To see if the Town will vote to rescind its adoption of the Municipal Budget Act, so-called, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 11.—To see what action the Voters of the Town of Newport will take relative to a study of lands surrounding Gilman Pond; to empower the Town Manager and Selectmen to appoint a committee of five to make said study; said members of committee to be from those citizens who are familiar with our water system; said committee to survey or have surveyed all these lands surrounding the pond; to post in some public place a draft of present lands owned and not owned by the Town, and also to post this drawing in the electionhall on Town Meeting Day, and further that this committee shall bring in its recommendations at the March Meeting of 1951 relative to acquisition of properties surrounding said Gilman Pond, and that motions shall be prepared and presented by them pertaining to the purchase of any lands so recommended by this committee; that we raise and appropriate \$500.00 for said work of committee, and pass any vote in relation thereto. (This article is not recommended in the Budget and no appropriation therefor is included).

ARTICLE 12.—To see what action the Town will take in regard to zoning the Town, and to appoint a Zoning Commission conformably to Chapter 51 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire, Sections 50-71 inclusive and pass any vote in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 13.—To see what action the Voters of the Town of Newport will take relative to the installation of parking meters in



in the business areas of said Town, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 14.—To see what action the Voters of the Town of Newport will take relative to the construction of a center curb, running from the traffic post near the Railroad crossing, Northerly to the watering trough, and provided that this meeting act favorably relative to the installation of parking meters, to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for the construction of said curb, and pass any vote in relation thereto. (This article and the appropriation of \$200.00 is submitted without recommendations of the Budget Committee).

ARTICLE 15.—To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of Chapter 292, Laws of 1949, Sections 1-8 inclusive, authorizing the Selectmen to issue licenses to conduct games of Beano, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 16.—To see if the Town will vote to extend its water lines to the eight houses on Summer Street Extension at the same time that the said water lines are provided for the use of the new hospital to be constructed on Summer Street, and instruct the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to issue serial notes or bonds to the amount of \$3,958.00 as obligations against the Town. Said obligations to be signed by the Selectmen and the Town Treasurer, they to determine the rate of interest to be paid. Said water serial notes and/or water serial bonds to be issued in compliance with Laws of the State of New Hampshire, and pass any vote in relation thereto. (This article and the appropriation of \$3,958.00 is submitted without recommendation of the Budget Committee).

ARTICLE 17.—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a veterans service office and the employment of a veterans service officer for the ensuing year. (This article is not recommended and is not included in the Budget and no appropriation has been provided therefor).

ARTICLE 18.—To see if the Town will vote to tar the road from the property of George R. Fowler to the Claremont Town Line, and to raise and appropriate an amount not to exceed \$1,000.00 for such purpose, and pass any vote in relation thereto. (This article and the appropriation of \$1,000.00 is submitted without recommendation of the Budget Committee).

ARTICLE 19.—To see if the Town will vote to extend its water lines from the intersection of DeWalt Avenue and Cheney Street to the house lots laid out and sold in Wilmarth Park and instruct the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to issue serial notes or bonds to

the amount of \$4,000.00 as obligations against the Town; said obligations to be signed by the Selectmen and Town Treasurer, they to determine the rate of interest to be paid. Said serial notes and/or serial bonds to be issued in compliance with the Laws of the State of New Hampshire, and pass any vote in relation thereto. (This article and the appropriation of \$4,000.00 is submitted without recommendation of the Budget Committee).

ARTICLE 20.—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to repair and tar the road leading from Guild Village to Paradise, so-called, and pass any vote in relation thereto. (This article and the appropriation of \$1,000.00 is submitted without recommendation of the Budget Committee).

ARTICLE 21.—To see if the Town will vote to discontinue as a public highway the street known as River Street from its intersection with Main Street, Easterly to its intersection with the Westerly line of Laurel Street, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 22.—To see if the Town will vote to pay its note of \$10,000.00 which is held by the Richards Library and to instruct the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to issue notes or bonds to the amount of \$10,000.00 as obligations against the Town. Said obligations to be signed by the Selectmen and Town Treasurer, they to determine the rate of interest to be paid. Said serial notes and/or serial bonds to be issued in compliance with the Laws of the State of New Hampshire, and pass any vote in relation thereto. (This article and an appropriation for interest to become due hereunder is recommended by the Budget Committee).

ARTICLE 23.—To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

(Polls shall be open for the reception of ballots at 9:30 A. M. and shall not be closed earlier than 7:00 P. M.)

Given under our hands and seal at Newport, New Hampshire, this 24th day of February, 1950.

CLYDE G. PRATT  
MAURICE H. CUMMINGS  
FRANK E. HAVEN

Selectmen of Newport, N. H.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand—January 1, 1949	\$ 6,078.83
Cash on hand for Selectmen's orders outstanding	65.00
General Government: Municipal Court	1,592.73
Town Hall	4,534.38
T. O. Expenses	277.20
Police Dept.	515.22
Fire Dept.	408.10
Health Dept	60.00
Highway Dept.	4,166.65
Relief Dept.	12.00
Water Dept.	22,253.04
Sewer Dept.	1,464.55
Temporary Notes	100,000.00
Water Works & Snow Loader Notes	13,000.00
Water Works & Snow Loader Notes Accrued Interest	37.75
Licenses and Permits	615.00
Auto Permits	14,058.22
Savings Banks Tax	2,661.79
Railroad Tax	1,877.06
Interest and Dividends Tax	10,778.23
Dog Taxes	1,367.90
Leon Fitts, Collector—1949	287,443.56
1948	34,179.10
1946-5-4-3	79.56
Tax Sales Redeemed	1,700.00
Old Age Assistance	316.12
Oiling	1,339.00
Public Health Nurse Comm.	1,043.40
Town Road Aid	4,289.50
Airport	1,026.80
Cemetery Dept.	3,015.02
Land Sold	126.68
Wilmarth Park	700.00
Playgrounds and Ski Tow	473.79
Blister Rust Control	1.76
Soldiers' Aid	170.00
Total Receipts	<u>\$521,727.94</u>
Selectmen's Orders Paid	\$500,683.72
Selectmen's Orders Outstanding No.612	25.00
No.1074	150.00



	No.3081	15,000.00	515,858.72
Balance Cash on hand December 31, 1949			\$ 5,869.22

EARLE A. POLLARD,  
Treasurer

### BALANCE SHEET AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1949

Assets			
Cash in hands of Treasurer			\$ 5,869.22
Accounts Receivable:			
State of New Hampshire—Bounties	\$	222.25	
Misc. Highway Dept.		169.90	
Town Hall		847.00	\$ 1,239.15
Uncollected Taxes:			
Levy of 1948	\$	266.00	
Levy of 1949		44,052.63	\$ 44,318.63
Unredeemed Taxes:			
Levy of 1948	\$	1,516.22	
Levy of 1947		639.51	
Previous years		313.83	2,469.56
Total Assets			\$ 53,896.56
Net Debt			189,761.85
Total Assets and Net Debt			\$243,658.41
Net Debt-Dec. 31, 1948			\$217,143.38
Net Debt-Dec. 31, 1949			189,761.85
Decrease of Net Debt			\$ 27,381.53

### Liabilities

Accounts Payable:			
Matured Bond Coupons Outstanding	\$	187.50	
Balance of Appropriation due to the School		14,600.71	\$ 14,788.21
Long Term Notes Outstanding:			
6% Library Note—Due 1949	\$	10,000.00	
3% Airport Note—Due 1950-55		600.00	
2½% Heating Plant Note—Due 1950-58		8,970.20	
2% Fire Truck Note—Due 1950-57		6,000.00	
1¾ Highway Grader Note—Due 1950-65		7,800.00	
3% Airport Note—Due 1950-58		9,000.00	

3% Water Works and Snow Loader		
Note—Due 1950-63	13,000.00	\$ 55,370.20
Bonds Outstanding:		
5½% Water Bonds—Due 1953	\$ 70,000.00	
5½% Refunding Bonds—Due 1950-53	26,000.00	
3% Refunding Water Bonds—		
Due 1956	32,000.00	
1¾% Refunding Bonds—Due 1950-64	45,000.00	
4% Water Bond—Due 1936 (Matured)	500.00	173,500.00
Total Liabilities		<u>\$243,658.41</u>

EARLE A. POLLARD,  
Treasurer

## INVENTORY AND TAXES ASSESSED FOR 1950

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Land and Buildings	\$ 4,256,757.00
Growing Wood and Timber	15,204.00
Electric Plants (3)	179,095.00
Horses (74)	7,675.00
Cows (426)	52,265.00
Other Neat Stock (82)	6,150.00
Sheep and Goats (9)	125.00
Fowls (1150)	1,432.00
Portable Mills	2,500.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	1,300.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	5,335.00
Stock in Trade	924,549.00
Mills and Machinery	377,465.00
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Total Inventory	\$ 5,829,852.00
Less Soldiers' Exemption	224,485.00
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	\$ 5,605,367.00

Tax Rate per \$100 of valuation \$5.80	\$ 325,111.29
Poll Taxes 2295 at \$2.00	4,596.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	1,409.00
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Total Committed to Collector	\$ 331,116.29

**SUMMARY OF TOWN BUSINESS**  
**For Year Ending December 31, 1949**

Department	Appropriation	Receipts	Payments
<b>General Government:</b>			
T. O. Salaries	\$ 6,500.00	\$	\$ 6,498.00
T. O. Expenses	4,585.00	277.20	4,812.55
Election & Registration	320.00		376.65
Court	1,200.00	1,592.73	1,279.70
Town Hall	8,850.00	2,558.30	7,866.94
Article 11-Section C—			
Town Hall Repairs	2,000.00	1,976.08	3,948.85
N. H. Retirement—Town's			
Share			707.85
Mechanic Street Right-of-Way			180.00
Damages & Legal Expenses	250.00		271.60
Blister Rust Control	400.00	1.76	400.00
Wilmarth Park		700.00	408.53
<b>Protection of Persons and Property:</b>			
Police Department	11,672.00	515.22	12,713.06
Fire Department	11,000.00	408.10	10,394.36
Article 11-Section A—Re-			
pairing Fire Station	900.00		921.78
<b>Health Department:</b>			
Hospital	6,000.00		6,000.00
Public Health Nurse	2,530.00	1,043.40	3,052.64
Health Department	1,700.00	60.00	950.57
Sewer Department	2,300.00	1,464.55	3,175.33
Vital Statistics	300.00		230.25
Garbage Collection	1,000.00		751.21
Article 11-Section F—Sewer			
Pinnacle Road	1,900.00		130.10
<b>Highway Department:</b>			
Highway Department	28,700.00	4,166.65	33,050.62
Sidewalks	2,000.00		196.65
Oiling	7,000.00	1,339.00	8,365.83
T. R. A.	1,044.22	4,289.50	5,333.72
Article 20—1948—Snow Loader		5,400.00	
Article 11-Section B—Purchase			
Truck	2,600.00		2,249.00
Article 11-Section H—Oak St.			

	Appropriation	Receipts	Payments
to Sugar River Mfg. Bridges	1,000.00		1,000.00 2,138.60
<b>Library:</b>			
Richards Free Library	500.00		500.00
<b>Public Welfare:</b>			
Relief Department	7,500.00	13.00	6,675.20
Old Age Assistance	13,000.00	316.12	11,997.21
<b>Patriotic Enterprises:</b>			
Soldiers' Aid	2,500.00	170.00	3,198.02
Memorial Day	300.00		300.00
<b>Recreation:</b>			
Article 11-Section J-Dart- mouth-Lake Sunapee Region	500.00		500.00
Parks	500.00		422.28
Playgrounds	1,000.00	448.28	1,156.83
Ski Tow	400.00	25.51	271.89
Skating Rink	500.00		458.10
<b>Public Service:</b>			
Water Department	12,000.00	1,958.89	14,664.89
Water Department Revenue		20,294.15	
Article 30-1946-Clare- mont Hill Water		7,600.00	1,657.95
Cemeteries	5,300.00	3,015.02	9,149.57
Street Lighting	8,487.22		8,277.79
Airport		1,026.80	843.02
<b>Interest:</b>			
Note Debt Interest	1,614.82	37.75	1,601.68
Coupon Interest	7,235.00		7,856.25
Temporary Loan Interest	460.00		416.18
<b>Debt:</b>			
Note Debt	3,100.00		3,100.00
Bond Debt	7,500.00		7,500.00
Temporary Loans		100,000.00	100,000.00
<b>Taxes:</b>			
Schools-1948 Balance			25,965.50

	Appropriation	Receipts	Payments
Schools—1949	159,600.71		145,000.00
Auto Permits—1948		152.25	
Auto Permits—1949		13,905.97	1,132.50
Auto Permit Rebates			32.81
Dogs		1,367.90	1,367.90
County Tax	33,856.20		33,856.20
Discount on Taxes		1,869.25	1,869.25
Tax Sales			2,893.31
<b>Receipts:</b>			
Article 9—Land Sold		126.68	
1943-4-5-6 Property Taxes		64.52	
1943-4-5-6 Interest		15.04	
1948 Poll Taxes		2,430.00	
1948 Property Taxes		30,951.90	
1948 Interest		797.20	
1949 Poll Taxes		2,742.00	
1949 Property Taxes		282,365.64	
1949 Interest		17.21	
1949 Bank Stock Tax		449.46	
Licenses & Permits		615.00	
Tax Sales Redeemed		1,700.00	
Tax Abatements			5,725.00
<b>State of New Hampshire:</b>			
Savings Bank Tax		2,661.79	
Railroad Tax		1,877.06	
Interest & Dividend Tax		10,778.23	
Overlay	11,059.34		
Cash on Hand—January 1, 1949			
1, 1949		6,078.83	
	<u>\$382,664.51</u>	<u>\$521,662.94</u>	<u>\$515,793.72</u>



# BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF NEWPORT, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the ensuing year January 1, 1950 to December 31, 1950, compared with estimated and actual revenue, appropriations and expenditures of the previous year January 1, 1949 to December 31, 1949:

Sources of Revenue	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1949	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1949	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1950
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 10,315.58	\$ 10,778.23	\$ 10,778.23
Railroad Tax	1,875.00	1,877.06	1,875.00
Savings Bank Tax	3,827.00	2,661.79	2,661.79
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees		1,367.90	1,367.90
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	350.00	615.00	615.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	1,200.00	1,592.73	1,500.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits		829.45	500.00
Income from Municipally owned Utilities:			
Water Departments	20,000.00	20,294.15	20,000.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	10,980.64	14,058.22	14,058.22
Sale of Town Property		126.68	
Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:			
(Snow Loader \$5,400.00, Water Line Art. 30			
'46 \$7,600.00)	13,000.00		
Property Taxes:			
(a) Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2		2,742.00	
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes		1,409.00	1,409.00

Purposes of Expenditures	Appropriations Previous Year 1949	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1949	Appropriations Recommended By Budget Comm. 1950	Appropriations Submitted Without Recommendation of Budget Comm. 1950
Current Maintenance Expenses:				
General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 6,500.00	\$ 6,498.00	\$ 7,600.00	\$
Town Officers' Expenses	4,585.00	4,812.55	4,850.00	
Election and Registration Expenses	320.00	376.65	850.00	
Municipal Court Expenses	1,200.00	1,250.00	1,200.00	
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	8,850.00	7,866.94	6,300.00	
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department	11,672.00	12,713.06	12,300.00	
Fire Department	11,000.00	10,394.36	11,000.00	
Moth Extermination--Blister Rust	400.00	400.00	800.00	
Health:				
Health Department, Including Hospitals	9,230.00	9,052.64	12,200.00	
Vital Statistics	300.00	300.00	300.00	
Sewer Maintenance	2,300.00	3,272.32	2,400.00	
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	2,000.00	1,682.06	2,000.00	
Highways and Bridges:				
Oiling Roads	7,000.00	8,365.83	5,950.00	2,000.00
Town Maintenance--Summer	11,200.00	15,420.79	11,250.00	
Town Maintenance--Winter	15,500.00	15,420.79	12,250.00	
Street Lighting	8,487.22	8,277.79	8,570.48	
General Expenses of Highway Department	2,000.00	2,208.42	1,000.00	

Town Road Aid	1,044.22	1,044.22	1,045.48
Libraries	500.00	500.00	1,475.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	7,500.00	6,675.20	6,500.00
Old Age Assistance	13,000.00	11,997.21	13,000.00
Patroitic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	300.00	300.00	300.00
Aid to Soldiers and Their Families	2,500.00	3,197.22	3,000.00
Recreation:			
Parks and Playgrounds Incl. Band Concerts	2,400.00	2,309.10	2,350.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Municipally Owned Water and Electric Utilities	12,000.00	14,698.00	12,000.00
Cemeteries	5,300.00	9,149.57	5,600.00
Unclassified:			
Damages and Legal Expenses, Incl. Dog Damage	250.00	271.60	650.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	500.00	500.00	500.00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	460.00	416.18	460.00
On Bonded Debt	7,235.00	7,856.25	7,027.50
On Long Term Notes	1,614.82	1,601.68	1,458.76
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Construction—Cement Curb			200.00
Water Works Construction and Eng. Survey			7,958.00
Sidewalk Construction	2,000.00	196.65	4,000.00
Sewer Construction and Eng. Survey	18,900.00		1,000.00
New Equipment	2,600.00		6,000.00
			2,850.00

Payment on Principal of Debt:

(a) Bonds

(b) Long Term Notes

N. H. Retirement Fund

7,500.00	7,500.00	7,500.00
3,100.00	3,100.00	4,100.00
487.38	707.85	759.78

JOHN J. CONDON

J. M. SHULINS

CLYDE G. PRATT

HARRY M. WOODARD

ETHAN A. SMITH

JOHN G. POWERS

GEORGE A. DORR, JR.

JOHN C. FAIRBANKS

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Budget Committee

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

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Town Hall, land and buildings	\$ 80,000.00
Town Hall, furniture and equipment	2,000.00
Town Hall, heating plant	12,500.00
Lobby	200.00
Fire Department, land and buildings	15,000.00
Fire Department, equipment	27,857.00
Sewer Department	35,444.28
Water Supply System and Improvements	164,098.17
Airport Land and Buildings	35,000.00
Newport Common	10,000.00
Wilmarth Park	1,500.00
Playground	2,000.00
Land near Pine Grove Cemetery	500.00
Land near Maple Street Cemetery	200.00
Town Dump	875.00
Land near Gilman Pond	2,300.00
	\$389,474.45

# HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

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Land and Buildings	\$ 6,500.00
Steam Roller	500.00
Power Shovel	1,000.00
One Steam Boiler	50.00
1939 Cletrac Tractor	800.00
Caterpillar Diesel Engine No. 40 Tractor with Snow Plow attachment	3,000.00
Grader	100.00
Reo Truck - 2 Ton	300.00
Mack Truck - 3½ Ton	1,000.00
Ford Truck - 1½ Ton	300.00
Chevrolet Truck - 1½ Ton	200.00
Chevrolet Truck - 2 Ton	2,000.00
Dodge Pickup Truck	600.00
Sidewalk Cletrac Tractor and Plow	800.00
Truck Plow	225.00
Snow Loader	4,800.00
Power Lawn Mower	200.00
One Ross Plow	50.00
One Trailer	200.00
Sidewalk Plow	100.00
Loader	300.00
Cement Mixer	500.00
International Truck	1,000.00
Sanders (3)	800.00
Compressor	1,000.00
Line Marker	300.00
Grader	7,000.00
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	\$ 33,625.00
Total Valuation—Jan. 1, 1950	423,099.45
1949 Valuation	423,414.35
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Decrease	\$ 314.90



## STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

**General Government**  
**Town Officers' Salaries**

	Credit		
Appropriation			\$ 6,500.00
	Debits		
Clyde G. Pratt, Selectman	\$	300.00	
Maurice H. Cummings, Selectman		300.00	
Frank E. Haven, Selectman		300.00	
Leon E. Fitts, Town Manager		4,000.00	
Earle A. Pollard, Treasurer		150.00	
Leonard F. Dudley, Town Clerk		500.00	
Arthur S. Nelson, Assistant Tax Collector		900.00	
Mary C. Kainu, Auditor		16.00	
Albert Gauthier, Auditor		16.00	
John Avery, Auditor		16.00	
	\$	6,498.00	\$ 6,500.00
Overlay		2.00	
	\$	6,500.00	\$ 6,500.00

## TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

	Credit		
Appropriation			\$ 4,585.00
Receipts from Bounties, Refunds and Toll Calls			277.20
	Debits		
Mileage for Town Officers	\$	668.81	
Payroll		1,667.00	
Supplies, Telephone and Miscellaneous		2,476.74	
	\$	4,812.55	\$ 4,862.20
Overlay		49.65	
	\$	4,862.20	\$ 4,862.20

## ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

	Credit		
Appropriation			\$ 320.00
	Debits		
Moderator and Supervisors	\$	170.00	
Clerks		40.00	
Supplies and Meals		166.65	
	\$	376.65	\$ 320.00

Overdraft		56.65
	<u>\$ 376.65</u>	<u>\$ 376.65</u>

## MUNICIPAL COURT

## Credit

Appropriation		\$ 1,200.00
Receipts from Fines and Fees		1,592.73

## Debits

Salaries	\$ 1,250.00	
Refund to A. S. Nelson, Clerk	29.70	
	<u>\$ 1,279.70</u>	<u>\$ 2,792.73</u>
Overlay	1,513.03	
	<u>\$ 2,792.73</u>	<u>\$ 2,792.73</u>

## TOWN HALL

## Credit

Appropriation		\$ 8,850.00
Receipts from Rents and Town Hall Heating Bills		2,558.30

## Debits

Payrolls	\$ 2,336.10	
Fuel, Insurance and Supplies	5,530.84	
	<u>\$ 7,866.94</u>	<u>\$ 11,408.30</u>
Overlay	\$ 3,541.36	\$
	<u>\$ 11,408.30</u>	<u>\$ 11,408.30</u>

## TOWN HALL REPAIRS

(Article 11—Section C)

## Credit

Appropriation		\$ 2,000.00
Receipts		1,976.08

## Debits

Payroll	\$ 3,435.48	
Supplies	513.37	
	<u>\$ 3,948.85</u>	<u>\$ 3,976.08</u>
Overlay	\$ 27.23	\$
	<u>\$ 3,976.08</u>	<u>\$ 3,976.08</u>

## N. H. EMPLOYEE'S RETIREMENT

## Debits

N. H. Employee's Retirement—Town's Share	\$ 707.85
Retirement Deductions from Employees	652.06

Overdraft		\$ 1,359.91
	<u>\$ 1,359.91</u>	<u>\$ 1,359.91</u>

## NEW HAMPSHIRE-VERMONT HOSPITAL DEDUCTIONS

## Debit

N. H.-Vt. Hospital Deductions from		
Employees	\$ 523.65	
Overdraft		\$ 523.65
	<u>\$ 523.65</u>	<u>\$ 523.65</u>

## COLLECTOR OF INTERNAL REVENUE

## Debits

Collector of Internal Revenue	\$ 2,463.35	
Overdraft		\$ 2,463.35
	<u>\$ 2,463.35</u>	<u>\$ 2,463.35</u>

## MECHANIC STREET RIGHT-OF-WAY

## Debits

Surveying	\$ 180.00	
Overdraft		\$ 180.00
	<u>\$ 180.00</u>	<u>\$ 180.00</u>

## DAMAGES AND LEGAL EXPENSES

## Credit

Appropriation		\$ 250.00
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## Debits

Jacob M. Shulins	\$ 271.60	
	<u>\$ 271.60</u>	<u>\$ 250.00</u>
Overdraft		21.60
	<u>\$ 271.60</u>	<u>\$ 271.60</u>

## BLISTER RUST CONTROL

(Article 11—Section J)

## Credit

Appropriation		\$ 400.00
Refund from State of New Hampshire		1.76

## Debits

J. H. Foster, State Forester	\$ 400.00	
	<u>\$ 400.00</u>	<u>\$ 401.76</u>
Overlay		1.76
	<u>\$ 401.76</u>	<u>\$ 401.76</u>

## WILMARTH PARK

## Credit

Receipts for Lots Sold			\$	700.00
	Debits			
Labor		\$	408.53	
		\$	408.53	\$ 700.00
Overlay			291.47	
		\$	700.00	\$ 700.00

### Protection of Persons and Property

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT

##### Credit

Appropriation	\$ 11,672.00
Receipts from Bicycle Registrations, Toll Calls	515.22

##### Debits

Payroll	\$ 10,833.03	
Gas, Telephone and Supplies	1,880.03	
	\$ 12,713.06	\$ 12,187.22
Overdraft		525.84
	\$ 12,713.06	\$ 12,713.06

#### POLICE RETIREMENT DEDUCTIONS

##### Debits

N. H. Police Retirement Board	\$ 193.50	
Overdraft		\$ 193.50
	\$ 193.50	\$ 193.50

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT

##### Credit

Appropriation	\$ 11,000.00
Receipts	408.10

##### Debits

Payroll	\$ 6,032.49	
Telephone, Gas and Supplies	4,361.87	
	\$ 10,394.36	\$ 11,408.10
Overlay	1,013.74	
	\$ 11,408.10	\$ 11,408.10

#### FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT

##### Debits

Firemen's Retirement Deductions	\$ 106.33	
Overdraft		\$ 106.33
	\$ 106.33	\$ 106.33

REPAIRING FIRE STATION  
(Article 11-Section A)

	Credit		
Appropriation		\$	900.00
	Debit		
Labor and Supplies	\$	921.78	
	\$	921.78	\$ 900.00
Overdraft			21.78
	\$	921.78	\$ 921.78

Health Department

HOSPITAL

	Credit		
Appropriation		\$	6,000.00
	Debits		
Carroll D. Johnson, Treas.	\$	6,000.00	
	\$	6,000.00	\$ 6,000.00

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Credit

Appropriation		\$	1,700.00
Receipts			60.00
	Debits		
Payroll	\$	854.25	
Supplies		96.32	
	\$	950.57	\$ 1,760.00
Overlay	\$	809.43	
	\$	1,760.00	\$ 1,760.00

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Credit

Appropriation		\$	2,530.00
Receipts for Fees Collected			1,043.40
	Debits		
Payroll	\$	2,525.00	
Supplies, Gas and Telephone		527.64	
	\$	3,052.64	\$ 3,573.40
Overlay		520.76	
	\$	3,573.40	\$ 3,573.40

SEWER DEPARTMENT

Credit

Appropriation		\$	2,300.00
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Receipts for Labor and Supplies		1,464.55
	Debits	
Payroll	\$ 2,077.35	
Supplies, Gas and Miscellaneous	1,097.98	
	<u>\$ 3,175.33</u>	<u>\$ 3,764.55</u>
Overlay	589.22	
	<u>\$ 3,764.55</u>	<u>\$ 3,764.55</u>

## VITAL STATISTICS

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$ 300.00
	Debits	
Fees	\$ 230.25	
	<u>\$ 230.25</u>	<u>\$ 300.00</u>
Overlay	69.75	
	<u>\$ 300.00</u>	<u>\$ 300.00</u>

## GARBAGE COLLECTION

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$ 1,000.00
	Debits	
Payroll	\$ 750.01	
Advertising	1.20	
	<u>\$ 751.21</u>	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>
Overlay	248.79	
	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>

SEWER PINNACLE ROAD  
(Article 11—Section F)

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$ 1,900.00
	Debits	
Surveying	\$ 130.10	
	<u>\$ 130.10</u>	<u>\$ 1,900.00</u>
Overlay	1,769.90	
	<u>\$ 1,900.00</u>	<u>\$ 1,900.00</u>

Highway Departments

## HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$ 28,700.00
Receipts for Labor and Use of Equipment		4,166.65



	Debits	
Payrolls	\$ 15,929.73	
Gas, Telephone and Supplies	17,120.89	
	<u>\$ 33,050.62</u>	\$ 32,866.65
Overdraft		183.97
	<u>\$ 33,050.62</u>	<u>\$ 33,050.62</u>

## SIDEWALKS

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$ 2,000.00
	Debits	
Payroll	\$ 196.65	
	<u>\$ 196.65</u>	\$ 2,000.00
Overlay	1,803.35	
	<u>\$ 2,000.00</u>	<u>\$ 2,000.00</u>

## OILING

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$ 7,000.00
Receipts for Labor and Oil		1,339.00
	Debits	
Payroll	\$ 1,042.75	
Oil, Asphalt and Sand	7,323.08	
	<u>\$ 8,365.83</u>	\$ 8,339.00
Overdraft		26.83
	<u>\$ 8,365.83</u>	<u>\$ 8,365.83</u>

## T. R. A.

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$ 1,044.22
State of New Hampshire—T.R.A. Payroll		4,289.50
	Debits	
State of New Hampshire	\$ 1,044.22	
Payroll	4,289.50	
	<u>\$ 5,333.72</u>	<u>\$ 5,333.72</u>

## TRUCK — HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

(Article 11—Section B)

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$ 2,600.00
	Debits	
Harold G. Fairbanks	\$ 2,249.00	
	<u>\$ 2,249.00</u>	<u>\$ 2,600.00</u>

Overlay	351.00	
	<u>\$ 2,600.00</u>	<u>\$ 2,600.00</u>

## OAK STREET TO SUGAR RIVER MANUFACTURING

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$ 1,000.00
	Debits	
Tar and Sand	\$ 1,000.00	
	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>

## BRIDGES

	Debit	
Payroll	\$ 919.45	
Supplies	1,219.15	
Overdraft		\$ 2,138.60
	<u>\$ 2,138.60</u>	<u>\$ 2,138.60</u>

## LIBRARY

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$ 500.00
	Debits	
John W. McCrillis, Treas.	\$ 500.00	
	<u>\$ 500.00</u>	<u>\$ 500.00</u>

Public Welfare

## RELIEF DEPARTMENT

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$ 7,500.00
Refunds		12.00
	Debits	
Paid out for Relief Cases	\$ 6,675.20	
	<u>\$ 6,675.20</u>	<u>\$ 7,512.00</u>
Overlay	836.80	
	<u>\$ 7,512.00</u>	<u>\$ 7,512.00</u>

## OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$ 13,000.00
Receipts from State of New Hampshire		316.12
	Debits	
State of New Hampshire	\$ 11,997.21	
	<u>\$ 11,997.21</u>	<u>\$ 13,316.12</u>
Overlay	1,318.91	
	<u>\$ 13,316.12</u>	<u>\$ 13,316.12</u>

### Patriotic Enterprises

#### SOLDIERS' AID

##### Credit

Appropriation		\$	2,500.00
Refunds			170.00

##### Debits

Aid to Soldiers' Families	\$	3,198.02	
	\$	3,198.02	\$ 2,670.00
Overdraft			528.02
	\$	3,198.02	\$ 3,198.02

#### MEMORIAL DAY

##### Credit

Appropriation		\$	300.00
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##### Debits

Ralph Stockwell, Treas.	\$	300.00	
	\$	300.00	\$ 300.00

### Recreational Purposes

#### DARTMOUTH-LAKE SUNAPEE REGION

##### Credit

Appropriation		\$	500.00
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##### Debits

Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region	\$	500.00	
	\$	500.00	\$ 500.00

#### PARKS

##### Credit

Appropriation		\$	500.00
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##### Debits

Payroll	\$	324.45	
Supplies		97.83	
	\$	422.28	\$ 500.00
Overlay		77.72	
	\$	500.00	\$ 500.00

#### PLAYGROUND

##### Credit

Appropriation		\$	1,000.00
Receipts			448.28

##### Debits

Payroll	\$	351.60	
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Supplies	805.23	
	<u>\$ 1,156.83</u>	<u>\$ 1,448.28</u>
Overlay	291.45	
	<u>\$ 1,448.28</u>	<u>\$ 1,448.28</u>

SKI TOW  
Credit

Appropriation		\$ 400.00
Receipts		25.51

Debits

Payroll	\$ 65.64	
Supplies	206.25	
	<u>\$ 271.89</u>	<u>\$ 425.51</u>
Overlay	153.62	
	<u>\$ 425.51</u>	<u>\$ 425.51</u>

SKATING RINK  
Credit

Appropriation		\$ 500.00
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Debits

Payroll	\$ 367.50	
Supplies	90.60	
	<u>\$ 458.10</u>	<u>\$ 500.00</u>
Overlay	41.90	
	<u>\$ 500.00</u>	<u>\$ 500.00</u>

Public Service

WATER DEPARTMENT

Credit

Appropriation		\$ 12,000.00
Receipts for Labor and Supplies		1,958.89

Debits

Payroll	\$ 9,332.44	
Gas, Telephone and Supplies	5,332.45	
	<u>\$ 14,664.89</u>	<u>\$ 13,958.89</u>
Overdraft		706.00
	<u>\$ 14,664.89</u>	<u>\$ 14,664.89</u>

WATER DEPARTMENT REVENUE

Credit

Receipts from Water Rents		\$ 20,294.15
Overlay	\$ 20,294.15	
	<u>\$ 20,294.15</u>	<u>\$ 20,294.15</u>

## ARTICLE 30 — 1946

	Credit	
F. W. Horne and Company		\$ 7,600.00
	Debits	
Payroll	\$ 715.00	
Digging and Filling Ditch	942.95	
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	\$ 1,657.95	\$ 7,600.00
Overlay	5,942.05	
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	\$ 7,600.00	\$ 7,600.00

## CEMETERIES

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$ 5,300.00
Receipts for Posts and Toll Calls		6.61
Receipts from Cemetery Commission		3,008.41
	Debits	
Payroll	\$ 7,892.28	
Supplies	1,257.29	
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	\$ 9,149.29	\$ 8,315.02
Overdraft		834.55
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	\$ 9,149.57	\$ 9,149.57

## STREET LIGHTING

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$ 8,487.22
	Debits	
Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$ 8,277.79	
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	\$ 8,277.79	\$ 8,487.22
Overlay	209.43	
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	\$ 8,487.22	\$ 8,487.22

## AIRPORT

	Credit	
State of New Hampshire		\$ 1,023.30
Refunds		3.50
	Debits	
Insurance and Supplies	\$ 843.02	
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	\$ 843.02	\$ 1,026.80
Overlay	183.78	
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	\$ 1,026.80	\$ 1,026.80



Interest

## NOTE DEBT INTEREST

## Credit

Appropriation		\$	1,614.82
F. W. Horne and Company			37.75

## Debits

Interest Paid on Note	\$	1,601.68	
	\$	1,601.68	\$ 1,652.57
Overlay		50.89	
	\$	1,652.57	\$ 1,652.57

## COUPON INTEREST

## Credit

Appropriation		\$	7,235.00
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## Debits

Earle A. Pollard, Treas.	\$	7,856.25	
	\$	7,856.25	\$ 7,235.00
Overdraft			621.25
	\$	7,856.25	\$ 7,856.25

## TEMPORARY LOAN INTEREST

## Credit

Appropriation		\$	460.00
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## Debits

Temporary Loan Interest	\$	416.18	
	\$	416.18	\$ 460.00
Overlay		43.82	
	\$	460.00	\$ 460.00

Debt

## NOTE DEBT

## Credit

Appropriation		\$	3,100.00
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## Debits

Note Debt	\$	3,100.00	
	\$	3,100.00	\$ 3,100.00

## BOND DEBT

## Credit

Appropriation		\$	7,500.00
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## Debit

Bond Debt	\$	7,500.00	
	\$	7,500.00	\$ 7,500.00

## TEMPORARY LOANS

	Credit		
Kenneth B. Hill & Company			\$100,000.00
	Debits		
Temporary Loans		\$100,000.00	
		<u>\$100,000.00</u>	<u>\$100,000.00</u>

Taxes

## DISCOUNT ON TAXES

	Credit		
Leon E. Fitts, Tax Collector			\$ 1,869.25
	Debits		
Leon E. Fitts, Tax Collector		\$ 1,869.25	
		<u>\$ 1,869.25</u>	<u>\$ 1,869.25</u>

## COUNTY TAX

	Credit		
Appropriation			\$ 33,856.20
	Debits		
Merton J. Sargent, Treas.		\$ 33,856.20	
		<u>\$ 33,856.20</u>	<u>\$ 33,856.20</u>

## SCHOOLS

	Credit		
1948 Balance Due			\$ 25,965.50
	Debits		
Kenneth P. Stoddard, Treas.		\$ 25,965.50	
		<u>\$ 25,965.50</u>	<u>\$ 25,965.50</u>

## SCHOOLS

	Credit		
Appropriation			\$159,600.71
	Debits		
Howard Bennett, Treas.		\$145,000.00	
		<u>\$145,000.00</u>	<u>\$159,600.71</u>
Balance Due		14,600.71	
		<u>\$159,600.71</u>	<u>\$159,600.71</u>

## AUTOMOBILE TAX

	Credit		
Receipts from Auto Permits			\$ 14,058.22
	Debits		
Auto Permit Fees		\$ 1,132.50	

Auto Permit Rebate	32.81	
	<u>\$ 1,165.31</u>	<u>\$ 14,058.22</u>
Overlay	12,892.91	
	<u>\$ 14,058.22</u>	<u>\$ 14,058.22</u>

DOGS  
Credit

Receipts from Dog Licenses \$ 1,367.90

Debits

Newport School District	\$ 1,149.10	
Supplies and Dog Warden Fees	218.80	
	<u>\$ 1,367.90</u>	<u>\$ 1,367.90</u>

LICENSES AND PERMITS

Credit

Receipts		\$ 615.00
Overlay	\$ 615.00	
	<u>\$ 615.00</u>	<u>\$ 615.00</u>

ARTICLE 9 - LAND SOLD

Credit

Receipts for Land Sold		\$ 126.68
Overlay	\$ 126.68	
	<u>\$ 126.68</u>	<u>\$ 126.68</u>

ARTICLE 20 - 1948 - SNOW LOADER

Credit

F. W. Horne and Company		\$ 5,400.00
Overlay	\$ 5,400.00	
	<u>\$ 5,400.00</u>	<u>\$ 5,400.00</u>

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Credit

Savings Bank Tax		\$ 2,661.79
Railroad Tax		1,877.06
Interest and Dividend Tax		10,778.23
Overlay	\$ 15,317.08	
	<u>\$ 15,317.08</u>	<u>\$ 15,317.08</u>

TAX COLLECTIONS

Credit

1943-4-5-6 Property Taxes	\$ 64.52
1943-4-5-6 Interest	15.04
1948 Poll Taxes	2,430.00
1948 Property Taxes	30,951.90

1948 Interest	797.20
1949 Poll Taxes	2,742.00
1949 Property Taxes	282,365.64
1949 Interest	17.21
1949 Bank Stock Taxes	449.46
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	\$319,832.97

## ABATEMENTS AND SALES

## Credit

Appropriation	\$ 11,059.34
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## TAX DEEDS REDEEMED

1943 Taxes	\$ 5.00
1944 Taxes	10.00
1946 Taxes	118.32
1947 Taxes	194.90
1948 Taxes	1,371.78

## Debits

Tax Abatements	\$ 5,725.00	
Taxes Purchased Through Sales	2,893.31	
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	\$ 8,618.31	\$ 12,759.34
Overlay	4,141.03	
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	\$ 12,759.34	\$ 12,759.34

## POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT

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To the Selectmen and Town Manager of the Town of Newport:

The Police Department of Newport is duly concious of the great responsibility entrusted to it in preserving the peace and tranquility of the people within our community.

Herewith we submit a partial review of the many functions that the Department performs for the benefit of the community:

### Crimes and Violations

#### CRIMES

Drunks	65
Non-Support	10
Simple Larceny	12
Grand Larceny	1
Simple Assault	16
Resisting an Officer	2
Brawls	4
Surety of Peace	1
Breaking and Entering	4
Carrying a Loaded Gun	1
Fish and Game	6
Malicious Damage to Property	4
Statutory Rape	2
Abandonment	1
Ringing False Fire Alarm	1
Delinquent Minor	3
Disorderly Conduct	1
Offensive Words	1
Aggravated Assault	1
Discharging Firecrackers	1
Mittimus	1
Absent without Leave	2
	140

#### VIOLATIONS OF MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS

Speeding	50
Operating after Revocation	2
Leaving Scene of Accident	3
Operating Under the Influence	10
Parking on Railroad	1



Reckless Driving	5
Non-Inspection	9
Operating Without License	9
Failed to Observe Stop Sign	7
Failing to Keep to the Right	7
Failing to Notify M.V.D. of Change of Address	1
Failing to Register Vehicle	5
Failing to Report Accident	2
Permitting Unlicensed Person to Operate	3
Operating with Inadequate Brakes	3
Taking Vehicle Without Owner's Consent	2
Misuse of Plates	1
Hit and Run Driver	3
Passing on Yellow Line	2
Over-weight on Bridge	1
Violations of Parking Ordinances	13
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	139
Total Number of Arrests	294
Juveniles	15

#### MISCELLANEOUS ACTIVITIES

361	Doors and Windows Found Unlocked.
166	Transients accepted for Night Lodging.
126	Accidents Reported and Investigated.
897	Complaints made to Police and Investigated.
39	Defective Equipment Tags issued.
296	Lights reported out.
207	Parking Tags issued.
29	Prisoners taken to House of Correction.
6	Prisoners taken to Industrial School and State Hospital.
62	Messages Delivered.
5	Prisoners Picked up for Other Departments.
2	Suicides.
514	Tours of Special Duty, Bank Escort, etc.
	\$1,173.35—Lost property returned.
	\$2,681.44—Stolen property returned.
460	Bicycles Registered.

At this time we wish to thank the Citizens of Newport for their cooperation in helping us to extend these services to them.

ALEXANDER P. LEWKO,  
Chief of Police

## COLLECTOR OF TAXES REPORT

## 1948

Uncollected 1948 taxes as of Jan. 1st, 1949		\$ 33,403.90
Added Poll Taxes		244.00
Interest		797.20
		<u>          </u>
		\$ 34,445.10
Remitted to Treasurer	\$ 34,179.10	
Uncollected Dec. 31st, 1949	266.00	
	<u>          </u>	
	\$ 34,445.10	\$ 34,445.10

## 1949

Committed to Collector of Taxes 1949		
Real Estate		\$325,111.29
Poll Taxes		4,596.00
National Bank Stock		1,409.00
		<u>          </u>
		\$331,116.29
Added Poll Taxes		362.00
Interest		17.21
		<u>          </u>
		\$331,495.50
Remitted to Treasurer		\$287,443.56
Uncollected Dec. 31st, 1949 Property		41,838.63
Uncollected polls		2,214.00
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		\$331,496.19
Over remitted		.69
Previous years collected & remitted	\$	79.56

Collector of Taxes

# SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNT AS OF DECEMBER 31st, 1949

Taxes Sold to Town	1948	1947	1946	Previous Years	Total
	\$ 2,878.05	\$ 878.15	\$ 225.40	\$ 166.43	\$ 4,148.03
Interest collected after sale	9.95	11.58	none	none	21.53
	<u>\$ 2,888.00</u>	<u>\$ 889.73</u>	<u>\$ 225.40</u>	<u>\$ 166.43</u>	<u>\$ 4,169.56</u>
Remitted to Treasurer during year	\$ 1,371.78	\$ 250.22	\$ 63.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 1,700.00
Abated	none	none	none	none	none
Deeded to Town	none	none	none	none	none
Unredeemed taxes at close of year 1949	\$ 1,516.22	639.51	162.40	151.43	2,469.56
	<u>\$ 2,888.00</u>	<u>\$ 889.73</u>	<u>\$ 225.40</u>	<u>\$ 166.43</u>	<u>\$ 4,169.56</u>

# 1949 REPORT OF NEWPORT MUNICIPAL COURT

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Cash on hand Jan. 1st, 1949	\$ 42.18
Refund from Town of Newport (Overpayment)	29.70
Receipts from fines and costs	3,043.05
	<u>\$3,114.93</u>

## Disbursements:

Motor Vehicle Dept. Fines and Costs	\$1,073.40	
Fish and Game Fines and Costs	217.30	
Police Dept. Serving mittimus	103.80	
K. E. Shaw. Associate Justice	57.00	
James McCusker. Sheriff services	20.00	
Charles Field. Officer's fees	10.00	
Thomas Brown. Officer's fees	22.00	
Dr. Thorpe & Dr. Weigle. Physicians fees	11.00	
Wilfred Snow Officer's fees	5.00	
Service Charge Bank	2.70	
Town of Newport. Fines & Costs	1,592.73	
	<u>\$3,114.93</u>	<u>\$3,114.93</u>

A. S. NELSON

Clerk Municipal Court

## HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT

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To the Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Newport:

General inspection of all drug and grocery stores, hotels, eating places, camps, tourists homes, and foster homes for children, has been made by your health officer with the aid of Mr. John Peck, State Division of Sanitary Inspection.

Repeated inspections have been made of barns and dairies of producers and distributors of raw milk. Improvements as requested by Mr. Peck and myself have been made in most cases. It is the request of the Division of Sanitary Inspection that all requirements made by them be met before local milk licenses can be issued.

Although an epidemic of chickenpox, German measles, and mumps, has been prevalent since September, very few cases have been reported to the health officer. The state law requires that all cases of contagious disease be reported to him.

Attention is also called to the local ordinance which forbids the dumping of rubbish in undesignated places. This ordinance is being repeatedly violated and citizens are asked to please make use of the town dump for rubbish disposal.

Respectfully submitted,

LEON E. FITTS,

Health Officer



## REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

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To the Selectmen and Town Manager of the Town of Newport:

I herewith submit my report as Chief of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1949.

The Department has responded to 113 calls for the year; 88 still alarms, 9 bell alarms, 7 false alarms, 5 brush fires, 4 out of town fires, Our fire loss has been very small for the year, way below average.

The floor in the apparatus room has been reenforced. The apparatus is in good condition. The personel of the Department is first class, well drilled, and equipped.

I wish to thank the members of the Fire Department, Selectmen, Town Manager and the Citizens of Newport for their excellent support and cooperation.

HERBERT H. WRIGHT,

Chief.

# GENERAL PERPETUAL CARE AND IMPROVEMENT FUNDS

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## Resulting From Sale of Lots

### Perpetual Care Funds:

Funds deposited in Sugar River Savings Bank and Newport Savings Bank. Income only to be expended under the direction of Trustees of Trust Funds:

#### Pine Grove Cemetery

Principal	\$ 19,720.31	
Unexpended Income	1,450.71	\$ 21,171.02

#### North Newport Extension Cemetery

Principal	\$ 4,361.27	
Unexpended Income	498.55	\$ 4,859.82

### Improvement Funds:

Funds deposited in Newport Savings Bank to be expended under the direction of Trustees of Trust Funds:

Pine Grove Cemetery	\$ 10,619.32	
North Newport Extension Cemetery	2,091.76	\$ 12,711.08

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. CONDON  
R. A. EGGLESTON  
LESLIE M. PIKE  
Trustees

Newport, N. H.  
January 21, 1950

# REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF NEWPORT, N. H.

December 31, 1949

The Trust Funds of the Town are at the present time all Cemetery Funds and are deposited in the local Savings Banks, and are drawing interest at the rate of 2½% at the Newport Savings Bank and 3% at the Sugar River Savings Bank.

Date of Creation	Name of Fund or Donor	Bank	Amt. of Prin.	Bal. on Hd. Begin Yr.	Income During Yr.	Exp. During Yr.	Bal. Inc. End Yr.
July 17, 1939	Hervey D. Angell	Npt.	\$ 200.00	\$ 14.95	\$ 5.39	\$ 3.00	\$ 17.34
Sept. 21, 1925	Mary E. Badger	S. R.	100.00	14.10	3.44	2.50	15.04
Oct. 25, 1915	Henry E. Baldwin	S. R.	100.00	22.28	3.69	2.50	23.47
Oct. 25, 1915	Samuel C. Baldwin	S. R.	100.00	18.65	3.57	2.50	19.72
Sept. 18, 1943	Tyler L. Barker	S. R.	100.00	.30	3.02	2.25	1.07
Jan. 3, 1920 &							
April 20, 1923	Perley M. Barry	S. R.	100.00	17.10	3.53	2.50	18.13
April 27, 1943	Carrie B. Bartlett	S. R.	100.00	1.69	3.07	2.25	2.51
August 11, 1924	Rotheus E. Bartlett	S. R.	100.00	1.84	3.07	2.25	2.66
Dec. 23, 1949	Ella W. Barton	Npt.	150.00				
Sept. 10, 1948	Jesse M. Barton	Npt.	200.00		5.03	2.50	2.53
June 23, 1927	Elihu & Hannah Tenney						
	Bascom	Npt.	50.00	1.78	1.29	1.00	2.07
July 7, 1949	Sanford H. Bascom	S. R.	300.00		2.25		2.25
Nov. 27, 1929	William Bascom	Npt.	100.00	6.29	2.67	2.25	6.71
May 18, 1922	Henry Batchelder	S. R.	100.00	18.26	3.57	2.50	19.33
Oct. 17, 1925	Isabelle J. Batchelder	Npt.	100.00	9.69	2.75	2.50	9.94
May 2, 1911	Mary A. Beck	S. R.	200.00	76.41	8.34	6.00	78.75
April 16, 1932	James F. Beirne	S. R.	100.00	4.72	3.15	2.25	5.62
May 5, 1944	Patrick H. Beirne	S. R.	100.00	.60	3.03	2.00	1.63
Sept. 7, 1944	Timothy Beirne	S. R.	150.00	2.83	4.61	2.50	4.94
Sept. 30, 1930	William Belknap	S. R.	100.00	7.97	3.25	2.50	8.72
Sept. 7, 1915	F. W. Bingham	S. R.	50.00	3.16	1.60	1.00	3.76
June 9, 1928	Augustus Blaisdell	S. R.	50.00	2.38	1.58	1.00	2.96

May 17, 1915	S. J. Boardman	S. R.	100.00	25.11	3.77	3.00	25.88
Sept. 21, 1925	Mary J. Bohanan	S. R.	100.00	10.29	3.32	2.50	11.11
Aug. 19, 1931	Silas S. Booth	Npt.	100.00	3.05	2.59	2.00	3.64
Sept. 21, 1918	Mary A. Bostwick	Npt.	200.00	33.81	5.86	5.00	34.67
April 4, 1917	Bradley-Nettleton	Npt.	600.00	60.14	16.60	10.00	66.74
Nov. 13, 1937	Alexander P. Brezell	S. R.	100.00	1.49	3.07	2.00	2.56
May 15, 1929	Belle A. Britton	S. R.	350.00	44.26	11.91	8.00	48.17
June 1, 1920 &							
June 17, 1921	Bell Brockelbank	Npt.	75.00	8.03	2.09	1.75	8.37
Nov. 21, 1923	Wilbur L. Brockway	S. R.	75.00	9.92	2.55	2.00	10.47
June 10, 1919	Elizabeth A. Brooks	Npt.	50.00	8.19	1.46	1.25	8.40
Oct. 1, 1932	Calvin M. Brown	S. R.	75.00	7.01	2.48	2.00	7.49
Aug. 25, 1921	Nathan Brown	Npt.	75.00	12.21	2.19	2.00	12.40
Aug. 25, 1921	Nathan T. Brown	S. R.	100.00	14.84	3.45	2.50	15.79
May 4, 1940	George C. Bugbee	S. R.	100.00	.77	3.03	2.00	1.80
Sept. 28, 1916	Bridget Burke	Npt.	100.00	5.84	2.65	2.25	6.24
Nov. 10, 1917	Martha J. Bussell	Npt.	100.00	23.57	3.10	3.00	23.67
Feb. 10, 1948	Zilpha Cain	S. R.	100.00	1.33	3.05	2.50	1.88
June 1, 1901	H. G. Carleton	Npt.	100.00	49.05	3.74	3.00	49.79
March 25, 1935 &							
April 3, 1945	B. F. & A. B. Carr	S. R.	200.00	3.76	6.14	3.00	6.90
May 19, 1923	David L. Carr	Npt.	50.00	2.16	1.30	1.00	2.46
April 23, 1918	E. H. Carr	S. R.	100.00	24.06	3.74	3.00	24.80
Feb. 13, 1925	Jeremiah Carter	Npt.	100.00	13.12	2.84	2.50	13.46
Dec. 19, 1945	Arthur C. Chadwick	Npt.	250.00	3.94	6.37	5.00	5.31
Sept. 4, 1923	Sarah Clark Chapin	Npt.	100.00	8.84	2.73	2.50	9.07
July 30, 1923	Chase-Atwood	Npt.	100.00	5.65	2.64	2.50	5.79
Feb. 5, 1918	Chase	Npt.	125.00	46.12	4.30	3.00	47.42
Feb. 16, 1910	E. S. Chase	Npt.	100.00	34.08	3.37	3.00	34.45
April 18, 1925	Fannie F. Chase	Npt.	100.00	4.93	2.63	2.25	5.31
May 23, 1941	Nelson Chase	S. R.	100.00	2.40	3.08	2.50	2.98
Aug. 2, 1917	O. H. Chase	Npt.	100.00	25.24	3.14	3.00	25.38



March 31, 1907	Cheney	Npt.	200.00	60.62	6.54	6.00	61.16
April 13, 1949	A. W. Clark	S. R.	150.00		2.25		2.25
Feb. 9, 1922	Elmer E. Clough	Npt.	50.00	2.01	1.30	1.00	2.31
Aug. 18, 1948	Pasquale Cocuzza	S. R.	150.00	.50	4.53	2.50	2.53
May 10, 1923	Coffin	Npt.	100.00	7.65	2.69	2.50	7.84
June 1, 1946	Josephine R. Coffin	S. R.	150.00	2.32	4.59	2.50	4.41
Jan. 17, 1931	Comstock	S. R.	52.79	2.05	1.64	1.00	2.69
July 6, 1916	Martha M. Comstock	S. R.	100.00	30.06	3.93	3.00	30.99
April 6, 1948	John J. Condon	Npt.	200.00	1.67	5.06	2.50	4.23
Oct. 24, 1928	Converse & Leach	S. R.	50.00	2.42	1.58	1.25	2.75
Oct. 24, 1928	E. C. Converse	S. R.	100.00	7.66	3.25	2.50	8.41
Aug. 1, 1924	John B. Cooper	S. R.	100.00	19.60	3.61	3.00	20.21
May 27, 1933	William & Bridget Cotter	S. R.	100.00	5.30	3.17	2.50	5.97
June 12, 1931	Silas Cowen	S. R.	50.00	3.31	1.61	1.25	3.67
Dec. 16, 1932	Margaret Cronin	Npt.	100.00	3.28	2.59	2.25	3.62
Jan. 3, 1936	Patrick Cronin	Npt.	100.00	.13	2.51	2.25	.39
Dec. 2, 1909	Samuel & Lois Crowell	Npt.	50.00	10.02	1.50	1.25	10.27
March 17, 1939	Salome B. Cupples	S. R.	100.00	3.49	3.13	2.50	4.12
Oct. 24, 1928	D. M. Currier	S. R.	100.00	8.29	3.26	2.50	9.05
Jan. 1, 1922	Bela H. Cutting	Npt.	100.00	11.91	2.80	2.50	12.21
May 3, 1919	Hannah A. Cutting	S. R.	200.00	59.21	7.84	6.00	61.05
May 1, 1942	John H. Cutting	S. R.	100.00	.69	3.03	2.50	1.22
May 23, 1923	Shepard H. Cutting	S. R.	200.00	57.16	7.78	6.00	58.94
July 3, 1920	George W. Cutts	S. R.	100.00	20.22	3.63	9.00	14.85
May 11, 1937 &							
Aug. 25, 1943	Henry A. Cutts	Npt.	150.00	19.52	4.25	2.50	21.27
July 6, 1934	Joseph A. Cutts	Npt.	300.00	29.66	8.27	6.00	31.93
Dec. 23, 1929	Frances M. Dana	Npt.	200.00	33.38	5.86	4.00	35.24
March 20, 1930	Hiram K. Darling	S. R.	100.00	9.90	3.31	2.50	10.71
Dec. 1, 1921	L. W. Darling	Npt.	100.00	9.74	2.75	2.50	9.99
Dec. 28, 1928	Charles H. Davis	S. R.	50.00	3.49	1.61	1.25	3.85
June 23, 1931	Charles H. Davis	Npt.	50.00	3.00	1.32	1.25	3.07



Dec.	28, 1928	Fred H. Davis	S. R.	50.00	5.08	1.66	1.25	5.49
Sept.	3, 1947	Pensy Davis	S. R.	150.00	1.02	4.57	2.50	3.09
July	30, 1946	S. Annie Davis	Npt.	150.00	1.55	3.80	2.50	2.85
May	9, 1941	Adolph & Annola Delangis	Npt.	75.00	.52	1.89	1.50	.91
March	7, 1896	Dexter Dodge	Npt.	50.00	25.42	1.89	2.00	25.31
May	12, 1944	Donovan-Strickford	Npt.	150.00	5.76	3.90	2.50	7.16
April	14, 1923	Calista H. Dow	Npt.	100.00	12.70	2.83	2.50	13.03
Sept.	7, 1937	Grace L. Dowing	S. R.	75.00	3.76	2.36	1.75	4.37
Nov.	3, 1917	Ida A. Drake	Npt.	100.00	27.05	3.19	2.00	28.24
July	28, 1933 &							
July	11, 1935	John J. Dudley	S. R.	200.00	39.69	7.24	3.00	43.93
Dec.	28, 1946	Rufus S. Dudley	S. R.	150.00	.52	4.53	2.50	2.55
May	29, 1940 &							
Dec.	28, 1946	Wilcox-Dudley	S. R.	150.00	3.90	4.64	2.50	6.04
March	12, 1935	George C. Edes	Npt.	100.00	3.72	2.60	2.50	3.82
Dec.	31, 1947	Marcia J. Edes	S. R.	250.00	.43	7.56	3.75	4.24
Feb.	25, 1922	Rosaline G. Everett	S. R.	100.00	10.52	3.33	2.50	11.35
Sept.	14, 1945	Philip Farewell	S. R.	110.00	.81	3.33	2.00	2.14
Nov.	12, 1936	Stephen Farewell	S. R.	100.00	.59	3.03	2.00	1.62
Aug.	7, 1942	Mina Hanson Fellows	S. R.	100.00	.91	3.03	2.00	1.94
Aug.	14, 1929	Peter J. Finnegan	S. R.	100.00	6.51	3.21	2.25	7.47
Aug.	27, 1935	Charles Fiske	S. R.	100.00	.33	3.02	2.25	1.10
Nov.	5, 1935	Luther J. Fitch	S. R.	50.00	1.43	1.55	1.00	1.98
Oct.	23, 1935	Hiram M. Fletcher	S. R.	100.00	1.62	3.07	2.25	2.44
June	9, 1928	William J. Forsaith	Npt.	75.00	7.99	2.08	2.00	8.07
July	18, 1918	George M. Freeto	S. R.	100.00	3.88	3.13	2.50	4.51
Feb.	18, 1927	Emma F. Frost	S. R.	100.00	14.20	3.44	2.50	15.14
Aug.	15, 1944	N. B. Frye	S. R.	100.00	.21	3.02	2.50	.73
July	23, 1943	Frederick Gamash	Npt.	300.00	12.94	7.85	3.75	17.04
March	8, 1934	Dennis P. Gardner	Npt.	100.00	4.03	2.61	2.25	4.39
Jan.	27, 1902	Peyton R. Gardner	S. R.	75.00	47.79	3.69	3.00	48.48
May	17, 1939	Gay-Allen	Npt.	100.00	3.18	2.59	2.25	3.52

July	11, 1936	Cevilla E. George	S. R.	100.00	2.17	3.08	2.25	3.00
Oct.	7, 1919	Clifton C. Dodge	Npt.	50.00	2.24	1.30	1.00	2.54
Dec.	19, 1910	Putnam George	S. R.	100.00	42.36	4.29	3.00	43.65
April	7, 1917	Fred W. Gilmore	S. R.	100.00	19.64	3.61	3.00	20.25
July	28, 1933	William H. Gilmore	S. R.	100.00	4.63	3.15	2.25	5.53
Sept.	2, 1919	Glidden	S. R.	100.00	13.23	3.41	2.50	14.14
Dec.	16, 1947	Vinal & Mellissa Goodwin	S. R.	200.00	.84	6.05	2.50	4.39
April	1, 1919	Alfred J. Gould	S. R. & Npt.	200.00	23.91	6.15	4.50	25.56
Nov.	15, 1927	Madora A. Gove	S. R.	150.00	52.71	6.11	13.00	45.82
Jan.	18, 1940	John Gunnison	S. R.	50.00	11.28	1.85		13.13
July	26, 1907	Ai Hall	S. R.	50.00	10.92	1.82	1.50	11.24
Oct.	14, 1929	Laura R. Hall	S. R.	100.00	9.05	3.29	2.50	9.84
Jan.	30, 1943	Zilphia Dunbar Hanson	S. R.	50.00	.85	1.52	1.00	1.37
June	22, 1943	H. F. Harmon	S. R.	150.00	1.62	4.57	2.50	3.69
Oct.	3, 1919	George Harrington	S. R.	100.00	28.01	3.86	3.00	28.87
Oct.	25, 1930	Mathew Harvey	Npt.	100.00	4.62	2.61	2.25	4.98
Nov.	12, 1942	Fred G. Haven	S. R.	125.00	4.16	3.91	2.50	5.57
Sept.	14, 1945	George F. Haven	S. R.	100.00	.20	3.02	2.50	.72
May	5, 1931	Lucina A. Hayes	S. R.	107.00	11.44	3.57	2.50	12.51
Sept.	5, 1942	Joseph L. Hitchcock	S. R.	100.00	.86	3.03	2.50	1.39
May	29, 1928	Arden S. Howe	Npt.	50.00	1.62	1.29	1.00	1.91
Feb.	25, 1926	Zenas C. Howland	Npt.	100.00	.51	2.51	2.25	.77
July	16, 1942	Hunton-Glidden	S. R.	100.00	1.45	3.05	2.50	2.00
April	29, 1948	John Hunter	Npt.	150.00	1.25	3.80	2.50	2.55
Dec.	1, 1921	Edwin M. Hunton	Npt.	100.00	9.27	2.74	2.50	9.51
June	2, 1942	Ransom Huntoon	Npt.	100.00	.40	2.51	2.25	.66
June	12, 1925	Albert Hurd	S. R.	100.00	19.01	3.59	2.50	20.10
July	17, 1937	Bela Hurd	S. R.	100.00	1.83	3.07	2.50	2.40
July	30, 1923	Carlton Hurd	S. R.	100.00	12.24	3.38	3.00	12.62
July	7, 1938	Emma C. Hurd	Npt.	100.00	4.36	2.61	2.25	4.72
June	18, 1921	Peter Hurd	S. R.	100.00	28.99	3.87	3.00	29.86
April	23, 1920	William C. Hurd	S. R.	100.00	17.59	3.55	3.00	18.14

March	1, 1920	Woodbury K. Hurd	Npt.	100.00	11.47	2.79	3.00	11.26
Dec.	16, 1942	George H. Jacobs	S. R.	100.00	.07	3.02	2.00	1.09
April	2, 1947	Stella M. B. Jenks	S. R.	300.00	3.53	9.17	3.00	9.70
Oct.	14, 1929	Ella J. Johnson	S. R.	150.00	41.96	5.78	3.00	44.74
Aug.	28, 1919	Kaler	S. R.	75.00	7.93	2.49	2.00	8.42
June	8, 1922	John F. Kelley	Npt.	50.00	2.45	1.31	1.00	2.76
June	26, 1925	Charles H. Kelsey	Npt.	50.00	6.22	1.40	1.00	6.62
June	18, 1938	Elisha M. Kempton	S. R.	100.00	1.62	3.07	2.25	2.44
Sept.	21, 1925	Henry M. Kempton	Npt.	100.00	13.71	2.85	2.50	14.06
June	7, 1927	Anna M. Kibbey	S. R.	100.00	5.32	3.17	2.50	5.99
Jan.	14, 1933	William B. Kibbey	S. R.	85.00	7.15	2.78	2.00	7.93
Feb.	15, 1905	Ellen K. Ladd	Npt.	67.00	21.30	2.21	2.25	21.26
Oct.	27, 1941 &							
May	5, 1942	Joseph Ladieu	S. R.	100.00	3.38	3.11	2.50	3.99
Oct.	28, 1925	Frank J. Latimer	Npt.	50.00	3.01	1.32	1.00	3.33
Jan.	27, 1926	David Leach	Npt.	75.00	12.03	2.19	2.00	12.22
March	18, 1919	Frederick W. & Sam D. Lewis	Npt.	150.00	15.45	4.15	3.00	16.60
Jan.	3, 1924	George E. Lewis	Npt.	50.00	3.35	1.34	1.25	3.44
June	23, 1931	Judith D. Lewis	Npt.	50.00	1.64	1.29	1.00	1.93
June	10, 1929	R. H. Lindsay	S. R.	100.00	9.71	3.31	2.50	10.52
June	12, 1931	Barnabas Logue	Npt.	100.00	3.38	2.59	2.00	3.97
April	3, 1929	Joseph Louiseille	S. R.	100.00	3.47	3.13	2.00	4.60
Feb.	15, 1907	Fred E. Lovell	Npt.	100.00	23.10	3.09	3.00	23.19
July	19, 1919	Ruel D. Loverin	Npt.	50.00	6.42	1.41	1.25	6.58
Jan.	30, 1935	Eric Mackey	S. R.	100.00	4.51	3.15	2.50	5.16
Oct.	17, 1925	Grace W. MacKusick	S. R.	25.00	1.62	.80	.50	1.92
April	26, 1919	Alexander MacNabb	S. R.	50.00	7.22	1.73	1.25	7.70
July	17, 1936	Patrick Mahoney	S. R.	100.00	1.16	3.05	2.50	1.71
July	1, 1931	Ann F. Marshall	S. R.	100.00	5.79	3.19	2.50	6.48
July	3, 1945	Dexter Marshall	S. R.	150.00	2.62	4.59	2.50	4.71
Aug.	19, 1940	Sarah E. Martin	S. R.	100.00	2.44	3.08	2.25	3.27
Feb.	18, 1943	Mooney-Richards	S. R.	300.00	21.63	9.71	4.00	27.34

Aug.	29, 1934	Francis R. Moore	S. R.	50.00	2.88	1.58	1.25	3.21
Jan.	3, 1942	Frank A. Moore	S. R.	100.00	3.25	3.11	2.50	3.86
July	25, 1946	Lillian K. Morgan	S. R.	200.00	3.10	6.14	3.00	6.24
July	29, 1920	Ernest G. Muzzey	Npt.	100.00	8.66	2.73	2.50	8.89
July	27, 1931	McGrillis	Npt.	100.00	2.14	2.57	2.00	2.71
June	10, 1916	McGregor-Clark	S. R.	100.00	30.08	3.93	3.00	31.01
July	28, 1933	Cyrus McGregor	S. R.	100.00	4.88	3.15	2.50	5.53
Sept.	5, 1933	Frank W. Nason	Npt.	100.00	2.74	2.58	2.50	2.82
April	7, 1927	Edward Nettleton	Npt.	200.00	28.80	5.74	6.00	28.54
July	18, 1949	Silas C. Newell	S. R.	200.00		1.50		1.50
Aug.	19, 1931	George W. Nourse	S. R.	100.00	5.64	3.19	2.50	6.33
May	16, 1940	Arlene Lussier O'Laughlin	S. R.	100.00	3.04	3.11	2.50	3.65
Aug.	25, 1943	Bernard O'Reilly	Npt.	100.00	.22	2.51	2.00	.73
June	17, 1920	Robert C. Osgood	S. R.	100.00	39.17	4.21	3.00	40.38
Dec.	23, 1926	John M. Page	Npt.	100.00	5.09	2.64	2.50	5.23
April	23, 1927	Parmelee	S. R.	100.00	15.06	3.47	3.00	15.53
Sept.	27, 1928	Parmelee	S. R.	150.00	35.90	5.60	3.00	38.50
April	20, 1908	Margaret P. Patch	S. R.	100.00	35.73	4.09	3.00	36.82
Oct.	16, 1917	Dodridge Paul	Npt.	100.00	13.21	2.84	2.50	13.55
Dec.	20, 1943	Eugene A. Paul	S. R.	100.00	1.93	3.07	2.50	2.50
Oct.	22, 1938	Fred A. Paul	S. R.	100.00	4.63	3.15	5.50	2.28
Dec.	14, 1949	George E. Paul	S. R.	150.00				
Aug.	23, 1938	Sara E. Paul	S. R.	100.00	3.45	3.13	2.50	4.08
Oct.	2, 1919	Marsh Peaslee	Npt.	100.00	10.51	2.77	3.00	10.28
Nov.	22, 1916	B. F. Peasley	S. R.	100.00	18.34	3.57	3.00	18.91
Nov.	22, 1916	Benjamin F. Peasley	S. R.	100.00	17.48	3.55	3.00	18.03
July	19, 1916	Elijah Peasley	Npt.	150.00	65.94	5.42	4.00	67.36
July	9, 1927	Fannie E. Peasley	S. R.	100.00	4.45	3.15	2.50	5.10
June	21, 1928	Perry-Adams	Npt.	200.00	31.46	5.82	3.00	34.28
April	15, 1924	Stephen Pike	Npt.	100.00	12.23	2.81	3.00	12.04
Nov.	18, 1925	Gertrude N. Pollard	S. R.	200.00	93.30	8.86	3.00	99.16
Nov.	18, 1925	Ezekiel Powers	S. R.	50.00	7.57	1.73	1.25	8.05



Aug.	23, 1915	George E. Putnam	S. R.	200.00	28.02	6.89	4.00	30.91
Nov.	10, 1947	Ernest Putney	Npt.	200.00	.34	5.03	3.00	2.37
Oct.	29, 1927	Morton O. Rawson	Npt.	100.00	5.78	2.65	5.50	2.93
Nov.	26, 1910	Syrena A. Raymond	S. R.	100.00	45.11	4.39	3.00	46.50
May	29, 1940	Dennis Reardon	S. R.	100.00	3.56	3.13	2.50	4.19
Jan.	24, 1927	Clark E. Reed	S. R.	100.00	14.07	3.44	13.00	4.51
Aug.	23, 1928	Frank A. Reed	Npt.	100.00	3.76	2.60	2.50	3.86
Nov.	30, 1945	Maude Grant Reed	S. R.	150.00	3.89	4.64	3.00	5.53
Dec.	5, 1929	Wallace L. Reed	S. R.	100.00	6.95	3.21	2.50	7.66
Sept.	5, 1940	Rose Reney	S. R.	100.00	.72	3.03	2.50	1.25
Dec.	30, 1943	S. M. Richards	Npt.	200.00	4.21	5.13	3.00	6.34
Aug.	17, 1927	L. D. Richardson	Npt.	50.00	.07	1.26	1.00	.33
April	30, 1940	Alexander Robinson	S. R.	100.00	1.72	3.07	2.50	2.29
Nov.	5, 1935	Clark E. Rowell	S. R.	100.00	.71	3.03	2.50	1.24
July	18, 1942	Dr. Thomas Sanborn	S. R.	125.00	1.97	3.81	2.50	3.28
Oct.	15, 1925	Sargent-Hitchcock	S. R.	100.00	17.29	3.55	3.00	17.84
May	1, 1935	Sawyer-Martin	S. R.	100.00	4.89	3.15	2.50	5.54
Sept.	13, 1922	Lucy A. Sawyer	Npt.	50.00	5.09	1.38	1.25	5.22
Feb.	3, 1934	Charles S. Shepard	S. R.	100.00	5.61	3.19	2.50	6.30
Sept.	22, 1942	David Shepard	S. R.	100.00	.61	3.03	2.50	1.14
June	11, 1947 &							
July	3, 1947	Willard-Sherman	S. R.	125.00	.85	3.79	2.50	2.14
Oct.	29, 1928	Ezra Sibley	S. R.	100.00	10.58	3.33	3.00	10.91
Oct.	29, 1928	Frank Sibley	S. R.	100.00	10.58	3.33	3.00	10.91
Oct.	17, 1927	Ella F. Siddell	S. R.	100.00	9.28	3.29	3.00	9.57
Oct.	27, 1941	Charles L. Smith	S. R.	200.00	10.40	6.35	4.00	12.75
May	18, 1917	W. S. Southworth	S. R.	100.00	20.89	3.63	3.00	21.52
Dec.	27, 1939	Hiram Spooner	S. R.	100.00	1.52	3.07	2.50	2.09
July	11, 1939	Isaac S. Spooner	S. R.	100.00	3.09	3.11	2.50	3.70
April	2, 1926	J. C. Spooner	S. R.	100.00	6.75	3.21	2.50	7.46
Dec.	1, 1949	Ignacy & Helen Stankiewicz	S. R.	125.00				
Dec.	19, 1910	Oliver Stearns	S. R.	100.00	58.00	4.77	3.00	59.77



Oct.	17, 1936	Josephine E. Stockwell	Npt.	100.00	.53	2.51	2.50	.54
Dec.	19, 1910	Mabel L. Stowell	S. R.	100.00	37.56	4.15	3.00	38.71
June	1, 1901	Dr. J. L. Swett	Npt.	50.00	2.85	1.31	1.00	3.16
Oct.	30, 1925	Rosalie M. Swett	S. R.	100.00	10.49	3.33	3.00	10.82
Dec.	14, 1933	Nathan S. Tandy	S. R.	50.00	3.17	1.60	1.00	3.77
May	19, 1938	Ada R. Tenney	S. R.	200.00	26.78	6.84	3.00	30.62
March	31, 1919	Clyde H. Tenney	Npt.	100.00	4.85	2.63	2.50	4.98
June	4, 1930	Jennie M. Tenney	S. R.	150.00	23.85	5.24	3.00	26.09
March	26, 1941	Parmelia M. Thibodeau	S. R.	80.00	2.15	2.48	2.00	2.63
Nov.	21, 1946	Charles R. Thompson	Npt.	150.00	5.57	3.90		9.47
April	1, 1916	George W. Tilton	S. R.	50.00	2.82	1.58	1.00	3.40
July	11, 1936	Rodney Tilton	S. R.	100.00	.11	3.02	2.50	.63
Jan.	20, 1923	Towle	S. R.	100.00	14.99	3.45	3.00	15.44
Aug.	11, 1917	Mary J. Towne	S. R.	100.00	29.16	3.91	3.00	30.07
June	29, 1901	J. M. Wakefield	Npt.	200.00	47.24	6.22	5.00	48.46
July	11, 1922	Alfred Ward	S. R.	100.00	27.77	3.85	3.00	28.62
Nov.	26, 1932	Kitty Wardwell	S. R.	100.00	5.89	3.19	3.00	6.08
May	25, 1946	Addie F. Watkins	S. R.	100.00	.85	3.03	2.50	1.38
May	31, 1934	Frank & Mary Welch	S. R.	100.00	6.63	3.21	2.50	7.34
Sept.	7, 1922	A. P. Wellcome	S. R.	100.00	21.66	3.67	3.00	22.33
March	16, 1918	Olive F. Wellcome	Npt.	100.00	9.08	2.74	2.50	9.32
Aug.	17, 1949	Wheeler-Call	Npt.	150.00		.31		.31
March	4, 1943	George B. Wheeler	Npt.	400.00	15.83	10.45	6.00	20.28
Nov.	1, 1917	Nancy M. White	S. R.	200.00	86.24	8.64	6.00	88.88
Dec.	11, 1911	A. O. Whitney	S. R.	100.00	56.66	4.73	3.00	58.39
Aug.	2, 1916	George F. Whitney	S. R.	100.00	16.72	3.51	3.00	17.23
March	12, 1935	Orange Whitney	Npt.	100.00	6.13	2.67	2.50	6.30
April	24, 1912	Stephen Whitney	Npt.	100.00	29.88	3.25	3.00	30.13
May	13, 1936 & 20, 1943	Martin L. Whittier	S. R.	100.00	6.04	3.20	2.50	6.74
Oct.	4, 1937	Simson Whittier	Npt.	50.00	.64	1.27	1.00	.91
Nov.	9, 1936	William H. Whittier	S. R.	100.00	3.53	3.13	2.50	4.16

Aug.	5, 1912	Jeannette M. Wilcox	S. R.	200.00	100.78	9.08	15.00	94.86
March	6, 1945	George & Mary Wilkins	S. R.	150.00	2.96	4.61	3.00	4.57
July	3, 1929	Wilmarth	Npt.	300.00	79.16	9.53	6.00	82.69
July	27, 1931 &							
Dec.	23, 1949	Jonathan M. Wilmarth	Npt.	150.00	9.07	2.74	2.50	9.31
Nov.	9, 1940	A. G. Winter	S. R.	100.00	1.24	3.05	2.50	1.79
Nov.	5, 1924	Alice E. Woodbury	S. R.	200.00	83.16	8.56	4.00	87.72
Feb.	25, 1922	Amos O. Woodbury	S. R.	200.00	76.81	8.34	4.00	81.15
June	9, 1913	Robert Woodbury	Npt.	50.00	3.95	1.34	1.00	4.29
Feb.	12, 1929	Belle E. Woodward	S. R.	100.00	8.99	3.27	2.50	9.76
June	3, 1919	Belle E. Woodward	Npt.	50.00	1.33	1.28	1.00	1.61
Nov.	1, 1922	Wright	S. R.	150.00	60.86	6.36	3.00	64.22
Oct.	24, 1930	Ephriam Wright	S. R.	100.00	8.05	3.26	6.50	4.81
Dec.	19, 1910	William H. Wright	S. R.	100.00	43.09	4.33	3.00	44.42
Feb.	12, 1936	Willis P. Wright	S. R.	150.00	15.04	4.99	3.00	17.03
April	29, 1948	Sylvester York	Npt.	150.00	1.25	3.80	2.50	2.55
Nov.	11, 1916	Justina Lowell Young	Npt.	75.00	12.09	2.19	2.00	12.28
Oct.	10, 1935	Margaret F. Young	S. R.	50.00	2.22	1.58	1.00	2.80
June	1, 1929	Mary R. Young	S. R.	100.00	9.82	3.31	7.50	5.63
				<u>\$33,426.79</u>	<u>\$3,815.18</u>	<u>\$1,023.21</u>	<u>\$778.50</u>	<u>\$4,059.89</u>

## REPORT OF SEWER DEPARTMENT

To the Citizens of Newport:

The Sewer Department respectfully submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1949.

Expended for Labor and Materials for Construction and Maintenance:

Frank H. Cram	\$	306.50	
Olin P. Perry		367.65	
Paul Trudeau		310.40	
Sophie G. Rego		416.00	
Olin P. Perry, Jr.		192.00	
Fred Berrey		87.20	
Alfred Prescott		216.80	
Frank Gove		64.00	
Wilson J. Clement		116.80	
Paul Trudeau		1,012.79	
	\$	<u>2,077.35</u>	\$ 2,077.35

Labor and Materials:

Paid by Selectmen	\$	<u>1,097.98</u>	\$ 3,175.33
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Cash received from customers during the year, and paid into the Town

Treasury:

Entrance Fees	\$	550.00	
Labor	\$	559.12	
Materials		<u>355.43</u>	<u>914.55</u> \$ 1,464.55

Cost of Gustin system to December 31, 1948

\$ 90,760.07

Construction and repairs during the year

3,175.33 \$ 93,935.40

Deduct:

Cash received for entrance fees

to December 31, 1948 \$ 22,753.88

Received during year 550.00 \$ 23,303.88

Cash received for labor and materials to December

31, 1948 \$ 14,871.06

Received during year 914.55 \$ 15,785.61 \$ 39,089.49

Net cost to date

\$ 54,845.91

CONSTRUCTION AND REMARKS

During the year nine additional houses were connected to the system.

LEON E. FITTS,  
Town Manager

SOPHIE G. REGO,  
Clerk

January 1, 1950

## REPORT OF WATER DEPARTMENT

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To the Citizens of Newport:

The Water Department submits herewith the Annual Report for the year ending December 31, 1949, in form as prescribed by the Public Service Commission.

The Department deeply regrets the untimely death of our Superintendent Frank H. Cram who has served us capably and faithfully for seven years. His loss will be felt keenly by all who worked and came in contact with him.

During the year main line extensions were made as follows: 882' of 6" pipe on the Unity Road and northerly of the Golf Club, also 329' of 1¼" pipe at Pollard Mills. One new hydrant was installed on the Golf Club Road.

A survey of houses receiving service was made and all fixtures checked.

A long range program of forest cultivation was started by planting 10,000 small trees at Gilman Pond to protect our watershed. These were obtained through the State Forestry Department.

This summer the reservoir was cleaned, the wire fence surrounding it painted, and the gate house repaired. The bridge at the pond was replanked and painted.

In December the main line to Guild was successfully cleaned as far as the Hawkhurst farm. This was a major undertaking and was the first time that the cleaning of mains has been done locally. Previously this work has always been let to contract.

Services were laid to twelve additional houses.

The actual cash received during the year and turned over to the Town Treasurer was as follows:

Water Rents	\$ 20,139.64
Labor and Materials	1,954.59
	<hr/> \$ 22,094.23

LEON E. FITTS, Town Manager  
SOPHIE G. REGO, Clerk

### SCHEDULE OF DEBT

	Date of Issue	Date of Maturity	Outstand- ing	Interest Paid
Water Bonds—5½%	1933	1953	\$ 70,000.00	\$ 3,850.00
Water Bonds Refunded—3%	1936	1956	32,000.00	960.00



Newport Water Works  
COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS

As at December 31, 1949 and 1948

ASSETS				Increase or Decrease*
Fixed Assets	1949	1948		
Water Supply Land	\$ 8,627.94	\$ 8,627.94	\$	
Distribution System				
Structure	1,250.00	1,250.00		
Water Supply Equip.	6,020.49	6,020.49		
Water Storage Equip.	18,155.63	18,155.63		
Distribution Mains	122,523.78	118,434.03		4,089.75
Services	22,397.07	21,305.36		1,091.71
Hydrants	5,857.94	5,463.91		394.03
Meters	1,199.40	1,026.60		172.80
Store Department Equip.	1,034.88	1,034.88		
Garage Equipment	1,168.56	1,168.56		
Other Equipment	3,721.92	3,458.28		263.64
Total Fixed Assets	\$191,957.61	\$185,945.68	\$	6,011.93
Current Assets				
Accounts Receivable	\$ 6,169.48	\$ 5,023.25	\$	1,146.23
Materials and Supplies	3,806.39	5,144.97		1,338.58*
Misc. Prepaid Accounts	87.51	87.51		
Total Current Assets	\$ 10,063.38	\$ 10,255.73	\$	192.35*
Total Assets	\$202,020.99	\$196,201.41	\$	5,819.58
LIABILITIES				
Capital Liabilities				
Municipal Investment	\$ 2,961.16	\$ 2,961.16		
Funded Debt	102,000.00	102,000.00		
Total Capital Liab.	\$104,961.16	\$104,961.16		
Accrued Interest	\$ 480.83	\$ 480.83		
Reserve for Depreciation	96,485.12	93,303.09	\$	3,182.03
Profit and Loss*	93.88	2,543.67*		2,637.55
Total Liabilities	\$202,020.99	\$196,201.41	\$	5,819.58

\*Denotes Red

# Newport Water Works

## INCOME STATEMENT

For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1949

Income	\$ 21,634.50
Operating Expenses	
Source of Supply — Labor and Expense	853.50
Distribution Labor	702.00
Repairs to Mains	1,689.92
Repairs to Water Storage Equipment	1,099.90
Repairs to Services	954.17
Repairs to Hydrants	1,159.01
Repairs to Meters	598.23
Commercial Supplies and Expense	1,137.61
General Expense	89.38
Insurance	318.69
Shop Expense	172.55
Auto Expense	772.92
Interest	4,810.00
Taxes	336.84
Depreciation	3,182.03
Total Operating Expenses	<u>\$ 17,876.75</u>
Net Profit for the Year	<u>\$ 3,757.75</u>

## PROFIT AND LOSS

	Debit	Credit
Balance January 1, 1949	\$ 2,543.67	
Transferred from Operations		\$ 3,757.75
Balance of Cash Retained by Town	1,120.20	
Balance December 31, 1949	93.88	
	<u>\$ 3,757.75</u>	<u>\$ 3,757.75</u>

## PLANT STATISTICS

Source of Supply — Gilman Pond

Reservoirs—One; Capacity in gallons, 613,000; Type of Construction, cement lined.

Distribution System:

Length of Mains in Feet:

Wrought iron and copper	1 inch	80,640
Cast iron	2 inch	6,918
Cast iron	4 inch	5,134
Cast iron	6 inch	71,468
Cast iron	8 inch	33,340
Cast iron	10 inch	4,825
Cast iron	12 inch	1,255
Total		203,580

Meters and Services:

	5/8	3/4	1	1½	2	4	6	8	Total
Meters in Service	14	9	7		4				34
Services in Use		991	19	2	2	2	8	1	1025
Services Not in Use		16							16
	14	1016	26	2	6	2	8	1	1075

Classification of Customers:

Number of Commercial Customers: Metered 16, Unmetered 991, Total 1,007.

Number of Industrial Customers: Metered 6, Unmetered 3, Total 9.

Number of Hydrants: Municipal 104, Private 7, Total 111.

Number of Other Municipal Consumers: Unmetered 8, Total 8.

Number of Water Meters—34.

Number of Water-operated Elevators—1.

## TOWN MANAGER'S REPORT

To the Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Newport:

January 1, 1950, brought to a close the first complete year of operation under the town manager form of government for the Town of Newport. It also marked the first year of operation under the New Hampshire Municipal Budget Law. Both plans were voted in effect at the 1948 annual town meeting and continued for the year of 1949.

With the continued cooperation of the Board of Selectmen department heads, and citizens, the fiscal year has been brought to a close within the financial limits as prescribed by the Budget Committee.

The department records contained in this report list the financial aspect of the year's business as well as the activity of each department. A more detailed analysis of the various accounts are on file at the town office and may be inspected by any citizen and information concerning them gladly given.

The town has realized a loss by the deaths of two valuable employees; Joseph Viger, foreman of the Cemetery Department, and Frank Cram, foreman of the Water and Sewer Departments.

The cemetery position has been very capably filled by Herbert Wright, Chief of the Fire Department. The vacancy in the other two departments has not yet been filled.

I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen and all other Municipal Officers for their splendid support given me during this last year. I also wish to express appreciation to the employees of the Town Offices, and all other town employees in all departments, for the valuable assistance they have so faithfully rendered, also the Budget Committee for their valuable work in making financial recommendations. I am also grateful to the citizens of Newport for their constructive criticisms which are always welcomed by those who are in administrative positions. Without the cooperation of all of the officials and citizens it would not have been possible to have had the successful year we have had.

Respectfully submitted,

LEON E. FITTS

Town Manager.



## FOREST FIRES – OUR MOST SHAMEFUL WASTE

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Everyone apparently fears fire but too many are careless with it. This is particularly true of fires in and near woodlands. Official figures show that more than 98 per cent of all forest fires result from human carelessness and can be prevented. Consequently, we may say "Forest Fires are our most shameful waste".

Annual forest fire losses are tremendous and their effects far reaching. Such fires destroy the raw products of the forests, the protection forests provide for game and the supply of ground water. They upset local economies by drawing men from gainful employment and requiring the expenditure of public funds to extinguish them.

Our forest fire organization is doing a good job in keeping the size of fires small but the number of fires is increasing. In 1949 there were 100 more fires in New Hampshire than in 1948, but they burned 500 acres less. For the warden and his deputies to do the job they are capable of they must have the cooperation of the public – YOU!

The primary objective of all fire fighters is PREVENTION – fire stoppage. This is the goal toward which your local forest fire warden and his deputies are constantly working. It can be achieved ONLY if YOU and YOU cooperate with them. It is worth YOUR effort and can be accomplished by:

1. Being careful with fire in or near woodland, being particularly careful with matches and cigarettes.
2. Securing the required WRITTEN PERMIT from the warden when the ground is not covered with snow.
3. Insisting that others be careful and comply with burning requirements.
4. Calling the warden promptly when fire is detected and aiding him to extinguish it.

Let's reduce the number of forest fires and eliminate our most shameful waste.

HERBERT WRIGHT  
Forest Fire Warden

GEORGE F. RICHARDSON, JR.  
District Fire Chief



# ANNUAL REPORT

of the

## NEWPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

for the fiscal year

July 1, 1948

to

June 30, 1949

# SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

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Moderator

SAMUEL H. EDES

Clerk

WILLIAM F. SULLIVAN

Treasurer

HOWARD C. BENNETT

School Board

HARRY M. WOODARD

Term expires 1950

DONALD E. MESSER

Term expires 1950

JOHN F. LEE, Chairman

Term expires 1951

MADLON F. KARR, Secretary

Term expires 1951

GUY A. DODGE, SR.

Term expires 1952

Auditors

JESSE R. ROWELL

D. S. ROLLINS

Truant Officer

MARSHALL C. PERKINS

Superintendent of Schools

GORDON B. FLINT

Clerk in Superintendent's Office

LILLIAN S. ZULLO

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Newport School Board:

I herewith submit my second annual report as Supt. of Schools.

## HOUSING

The completion of six additional classrooms at the Richards Annex has materially improved the housing problem over other years. Class size in the first six grades does not exceed thirty-five (This is considered the maximum class size — with 25 to 30 the desirable number). For years, some of these elementary grades contained 45 to 50 pupils per teacher. Although most of these classes have reached the national maximum figures, this reduction over previous years should result in better instruction, more individual attention, and a chance for each pupil to get a better educational background in this all-important stage of the educational process.

The classes in Grade 7 and 8 still remain over crowded—running 40 or more to the division. Few will dispute that the most effective work cannot be done with such large groups. However, we are limited both as to room and personnel. The teachers of home economics and manual training carry on work in both Grades 7 — 8 and the High School. They now carry full programs and any reduction in class size in Grades 7 — 8 would require additional personnel in both these specialized fields.

## TEACHERS

The supply of teachers at the high school level is much greater and with the exception of one or two fields — such as home economics and commerce — does not constitute a real problem.

The supply of elementary teachers is quite a different matter. We are faced with a serious shortage of lower grade teachers. With increased enrollments in these grades and still an insufficient number of people in the colleges taking elementary work, this situation is likely to continue for many years.

If we expect to get good elementary teachers in our schools, each of us should urge young people desiring to teach. to train at this level. Employment opportunities will be much better for grade positions than for high school.

Locally, we had somewhat of a record in the small turn-over in the staff. Only one teacher failed to return. An additional teacher was employed in Grade 5 and also a supervisor for girl's physical education. This provides trained personnel for girl's

physical education classes as well as a coach for girl's varsity sports (field hockey, basketball, soft ball). Mrs. Grace Scranton was appointed Asst. Principal of the Richards Annex.

Experienced teachers are an asset to any school system. Our salary schedule has enabled us to hold qualified teachers; whereas, many times in the past we have lost teachers to other communities willing to pay higher salaries to those who had gained their experience elsewhere.

In education, it takes years to measure the effectiveness of teaching — but in the long run experienced teaching personnel should prove a sound investment for Newport's youth.

#### TUITION

The tuition rate is as follows:

	Elementary	High Schools
1949-50	\$ 90.00	\$127.22
1950-51	115.00	200.00

The increase in tuition rates for next year comes as a result of an Act of the 1949 Legislature permitting receiving districts to charge on the basis of their Cost of Operation rather than on the Cost of Instruction as has been the case heretofore.

#### IN-SERVICE TRAINING

Dr. Anna Philbrook, Director of the N. H. Child Guidance Clinic, conducted a course in Mental Hygiene through the University of New Hampshire Extension Service. The course was held in Newport during the first semester. It attracted social workers, clergymen and housewives as well as teachers. Some eighteen Newport teachers were enrolled.

#### MILK PROGRAM

We are again participating in the Federal Milk Program. An average of 105 at the Primary and Guild Schools and 120 at the Richards Schools have come under the plan. Through generous donations from the Lions and Rotary, it has been possible to provide free milk to about 40 youngsters who in the judgement of the teachers and nurse were in need of it.

#### MUSIC

The following paragraphs are taken from the report of Joseph S. Herne, Supervisor of Music:

"During the past year, I visited and taught grades one through eight, once each week, working to help children secure singing voices, develop rhythmic responses, and develop an interest in, and love of good music.

We expanded and increased the instrumental program. We had rhythm bands in grades one and two, introduced melody instruments in grade three with Song Flutes, and instrumental lessons from grades 4 through twelve. There are approximately 70 students taking instrumental lessons through the school, necessitating services of three instructors one day a week. I give lessons on stringed instruments free of charge and there are nine students receiving lessons.

The Newport School Band rehearses two evenings a week for one hour and a half each. The Towle High Glee Club holds four rehearsals weekly, during school hours, totaling one hour and twenty minutes. This fall, we started an Elementary School Orchestra which rehearses for a half hour each week. We also have a Junior High School Glee Club which rehearses for forty minutes a week.

These organizations present an annual Christmas Concert, Junior High School Operetta and the Spring "Pop" Concert. Our Band provides music for Athletic events, plays, graduation and other community events. This year the Band and the High School Glee Club are combining with other schools to present joint concerts.

As in other years, a six-week Band School was held last summer for those who wished to continue their music studies during vacation.

I would like to thank the Superintendent of Schools, the principals and teachers, and also the parents for their support of and the interest shown in the school music program."

#### NEW EQUIPMENT

The major items of new equipment are as follows:

##### Towle—

- 35 Desk and Chair Units
- Electric Mimeograph
- 20 Tablet Arm Chairs
- 10 Library Chairs
- 10 Typewriters were exchanged

##### Richards—

- Film strip projector
- 6 Playground Swings
- Playground Teeter-boards
- 6 Tables for Classrooms
- Primary reading chairs

##### Music Dept.—

- Several instruments for band and orchestra.



Maintenance Dept.—  
Waxing Manhine

### REPAIRS

Minor repairs and the regular summer cleaning of all buildings were carried out by the janitors.

Towle

The first-floor lobby, corridor, stairwells and two classrooms were painted.

Toilet tanks in the girl's basement were replaced with flush valves.

Richards

The four original classrooms in the Annex were painted.

The outside wood-trim in the entire building was painted.

A small room in the main building previously used as a classroom was converted into a Teachers' Room.

The play area at the rear of the building leveled a year ago was seeded. (The heavy use given this playground by about 575 children has shown that it is practically impossible to keep grass on a heavily-used play area).

### TRANSPORTATION

This year—to prevent over crowding—the Kelleyville run was extended over Whitcher Road. Formerly Whitcher Road had been a part of the Unity Road route.

The North Newport route now goes via Oak Street one way and returns by the Airport. This gives better service to those children living in the "Pine-Hill" section. With the closing of the North Newport school, we are now carrying the pupils from that area in Grades 1-4. No extra bus was needed as we have transported Grades 5-8 for many years.

High school students are being transported this year on the routes that are not over-crowded. It is hoped that we will be able to continue this service.

During the school year 1948-1949, the fleet of four District-owned buses traveled a total of 24,630 miles. This is broken down as follows:

	Mileage	Approximate % of Total Mileage
a. Regular elementary	20,236	82
b. Athletic	3,706	15
c. Band	625	2.5
d. Educational	63	.5
	<hr/> 24,630	<hr/> 100

The regular elementary transportation routes provided for 82%

of the use of the buses. This was at a cost of \$5,767.22.

#### Comparison of Elementary Transportation Costs

##### School Year

1946-47	Paid Condos and Brooks	\$6,698.00
1947-48	School Operation (From Oct. 20, 1947 to June 16, 1948) (154 days)	\$5,328.00
1948-49	School Operation (178 days)	\$5,767.22

#### KELLEYVILLE SCHOOL

Pursuant to the vote passed by the District at the 1949 Annual Meeting, the Kelleyville School was sold at public auction on July 2, 1949 to Charles M. Barton for \$1.075. The proceeds of the sale went into the Wheeler Building Fund.

#### LOSS OF STATE AID

The cut of \$1,600.000 in state aid funds was a serious blow to New Hampshire education. Newport had received \$23,180.77 annually; whereas this year we received nothing. Obviously this action places a much heavier tax load on local communities and the real estate tax. Communities differ in their ability to support education. The present method of school-support places a burden on those towns with a large number of pupils and a relatively small amount of taxable resources.

It seems likely that before too long the people of New Hampshire, in their demand for better schools for their children, will cause state aid funds to be restored as a means of providing adequate support in a more equitable manner than at present.

#### WHEELER GYMNASIUM

The construction and completion of the George B. Wheeler Gymnasium as an addition to Towle High School marks another step in the physical plant of the Newport School System. This unit will provide a place to carry on a comprehensive program of health and physical education for both boys and girls as well as its use for athletic practice and competition. All students from grades 7 through 12, unless excused by a doctor, will participate in this program as a regular part of the school curriculum.

With the completion of the Wheeler Gymnasium, the Newport School District has expended approximately \$276,000 on capital improvement of buildings since 1948. This has been financed by Bond Issues amounting to \$98,000. The balance for the building projects has come from monies left to the District by the late George B. Wheeler. His generosity toward the schools and the town should be fully appreciated by all.

## CONCLUSION

The work of the schools touches many phases of community activity. It is my hope that our accomplishments will be such as to merit the continued interest and generous support of the citizens of Newport.

Respectfully submitted,

GORDON B. FLINT

Superintendent of Schools

## SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

July 1, 1948 to June 30, 1949

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Cash on hand June 30, 1948		
(Treasurer's bank balance)		\$ 4,410.16
Received from selectmen, appropriations for current year	\$143,965.50	
Received from selectmen, dog tax	1,064.26	
Received from State Treasurer	23,875.10	
Received from all other sources	6,899.18	\$175,804.04
Total amount available for fiscal year		
(Balance and receipts)		\$180,214.20
Less School Board orders paid		163,028.25
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1949		
(Treasurer's bank balance)		\$ 17,185.95

KENNETH P. STODDARD  
District Treasurer

July 14, 1949

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Newport, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949 and find them correct in all respects.

D. SIDNEY ROLLINS  
JESSE R. ROWELL  
Auditors

July 21, 1949

February 1, 1950

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that we each, in the presence of each other, have today witnessed the destruction of burning of the following paid coupons of the School District of Newport, N. H.:

24 Coupons No. 1 cut from Notes Nos. 1 to 24 inclusive of the School Improvement Notes 24 at \$11.25	\$270.00
24 Coupons No. 2 cut from Notes Nos. 1 to 24 inclusive of the School Improvement Notes 24 at \$11.25	270.00
Total	<hr/> \$540.00

(Signed) GORDON B. FLINT  
Supt. of Schools

(Signed) KENNETH P. STODDARD  
Treas. 1948-49

(Signed) JESSE R. ROWELL  
Auditor



## SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

## Richards Building Fund

July 1, 1948 to June 30, 1949

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Cash on hand, June 30, 1948	
(Treasurer's bank balance)	\$105,769.31
Received from all other sources	14.85
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Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	
(Balance and receipts)	\$105,784.16
Less School Board Orders Paid	75,465.38
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Balance on Hand as of June 30, 1949	
(Treasurer's bank balance)	\$ 30,318.78

KENNETH P. STODDARD  
District Treasurer

July 14, 1949

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Newport, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949 and find them correct in all respects.

D. SIDNEY ROLLINS  
J. R. ROWELL

July 21, 1949

# STATEMENT OF BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

(As of June 30, 1949)

	School Bus Notes 2%	Richards Improvement Notes 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ %	Wheeler Gym Bonds, 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Date of Issue	October 20, 1947	May 1, 1948	May 1, 1949
Original Amount	\$ 13,500	\$ 24,000	\$ 74,000
Annual Maturity Date	November 1	November 1	November 1
Interest Payable	Nov. 1 and May 1	Nov. 1 and May 1	Nov. 1 and May 1
Annual Principal	\$ 1,500	(1949-52) \$3,000 (1953-58) \$2,000	(1950-63) \$5,000 (1964) \$4,000
Payable At	First National Bank Newport	Citizens National Bank Newport	Citizens National Bank Newport
Amount Outstanding	\$ 10,500	\$ 24,000	\$ 74,000

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

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Modified plans for the construction of a gymnasium at Towle High School were approved on March 24, 1949. The plans provided for a gymnasium, boys and girls locker and shower rooms, physical directors offices, lobbies, public toilets and one classrooms.

The contract for construction of the gymnasium addition was awarded to Donald D. Snyder & Son, Inc. of Gardner, Massachusetts.

The final plans called for erection four feet above the original plan in view of the fact that tests showed a moist soil condition at the lower level.

The total cost of the project will be approximately \$152,000.

Dedication exercises of the George B. Wheeler Gymnasium were held on January 16, 1950.

HOWARD C. BENNETT  
Chairman of Building Committee

January 26, 1950

# ANNUAL REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER

## TOWLE HIGH SCHOOL

February 1, 1950

Superintendent Gordon B. Flint  
Newport  
New Hampshire

Dear Mr. Flint:

I am submitting herewith the Annual Report for Towle High School, which includes a supplement of statistical material as follows:

Table I	Enrollment by Grades
Table II	Tuition Pupils
Table III	Attendance Record
Table IV	Perfect Attendance 1948-49
Table V	Honors List—Class 1949
Table VI	Test Results
Table VII	Prize Speaking Contest Results
Table VIII	Student Activities Financial Report
Table IX	List of Graduates—Class of 1949

The following items may prove of interest to the general public and also as a matter of record:

### 1. Academic Curriculum Changes

As a result of analytical studies made with the results of our testing program, certain aspects of our teaching are being changed. We have found that certain areas of learning are losing their significance while others are taking on a growing importance. Accordingly, greater emphasis is being placed upon the more obvious needs through revision of the project and unit studies and by utilizing many new materials that are now available. (See Test Results Table VI.)

### 2. The Physical Education Program.

With the opening of the new gymnasium we now are able for the first time in the history of Newport to offer a complete physical education program. This is being done for all students in grades seven through twelve, each student having two periods per week in the physical education classes. With the folding partition in place boys and girls classes are conducted simultaneously, each group using one-half of the total available area. The activities for girls include: posture, marching, calisthenics, volley ball, stunts, tumbling, folk dancing, and fundamentals of basketball and

softball, and for the boys: calisthenics, volley ball, stunts and tumbling, apparatus drills (rope climbing, flying rings, parallel bars, horizontal bars, gym horse and Indian clubs), boxing, wrestling and fundamentals of basketball. Physical proficiency tests are given at the beginning of each year and periodic re-checks will be made.

This program is a part of the regular school curriculum and credit is given for participation therein. A cumulative record of each individual's physical prowess and development is kept. The same athletic activities defined in last year's Annual Report are still in force as an extra curricula program.

### 3. Educational and Vocational Guidance.

For the third successive year we have employed the Boston University Occupational Inventory tests. By means of a series of group and individual conferences each student is made acquainted with the occupations which his interests indicate as being suitable for him. On the basis of this information students have an opportunity to select a course of study which will directly prepare them for proper occupation pursuit and to a considerable degree these tests have eliminated the tragedies of misplacement in career selection. The principal fault with the present procedure lies in the fact that not enough vocational guidance is being given in the earlier years of High School. A broader vocational guidance program could mean more intelligent educational guidance, but it cannot be achieved with the present teaching staff. Teachers and administrators are now carrying maximum loads and furthermore, work of this nature requires a high degree of skill and training.

With the completion of the recent building program it might seem to many that we have discharged our obligations to the young people in this town insofar as providing adequate school facilities is concerned. This, however, is not the case. Two years ago when we talked of the erection of the gymnasium it was, in my opinion, the first step that needed to be taken. The next step which is also of great importance to our high school students should include the erection of vocational shops and adequate Home Economics laboratories. While preliminary plans have already been sketched for these facilities, I believe that studies should be made now so that these plans may be refined and be made ready for the community to act upon.

The student body, faculty and parents have all been highly co-operative in making our educational efforts worthwhile and I wish to express my sincere thanks for their valued interest.

Respectfully submitted,  
ERNEST M. PERKINS, Headmaster



## STATISTICAL SUPPLEMENT

Table I Enrollment by Grades

	1945-46	1946-47	1947-48	1948-49	1949-50	1950-51 (Est.)
Grade 12	58	83	61	63	50	55
Grade 11	79	68	66	53	59	63
Grade 10	73	71	66	66	68	77
Grade 9	90	75	76	76	84	75
P. G's.	1	4	0	1	1	1
Totals	301	301	269	259	262	271

Table II Tuition Pupils

Town	Gr. 12	Gr. 11	Gr. 10	Gr. 9	Total
Croydon	4	3	3	2	12
Goshen	1	0	2	9	12
Grantham	1	0	0	0	1
Lempster	3	2	0	3	8
Newbury	0	0	1	1	2
Springfield	0	1	0	0	1
Unity	0	2	1	0	3
Totals	9	8	7	15	39

Table III Attendance Record

	1944-45	1945-46	1946-47	1947-48	1948-49
Tardiness per pupil					
Towle High School	1.3	1.8	3.0	4.4	3.65
Per Cent of Pupils Present					
Towle High School	94.4	93.7	93.3	94.4	94.2

Table IV Perfect Attendance 1948-49

## SENIORS:

Helen Grenon  
Harold Perkins

## SOPHOMORES:

Charles Goyette  
Henry Guimond  
Earl Legacy

## JUNIORS:

Elizabeth Fiske  
Philip Weber

## FRESHMEN:

Joyce Boutwell  
Paul Goyette  
Jennie Perkins  
Jean Winter

Table V Honors List—Class of 1949

## High Honors (90 or better)

Perkins, Harold

Libby, Barbara

Butler, Barbara  
 Kelly, Jacqueline  
 Koski, Charles  
 Leland, David

Shaw, Joan  
 Richardson, Gloria  
 Jobes, Sarah

**Honors (85-89)**

Geoffrion, Jeannette  
 Sumner, Donald  
 Avery, Daniel  
 Hutchinson, John  
 Sargent, David  
 Webster, George

Perkins, Chandler  
 Waldo, Richard  
 Zahareas, Stella  
 Newton, Randolph  
 Leavitt, Richard  
 Bell, Dorothy

# SUMMARY OF TEST RESULTS

Towle High School Table VI

School Year 1947-48

Name of Test	Given to	Standard Median	Class Median	Deviation + or -	Kind of Test and Instructors
Terman McNemar	Gr. 9	101 (IQ)	107 (IQ)	+ 6	Intelligence
California Mental Maturity	Gr. 11	104 (IQ)	104 (IQ)	0	Intelligence
California Mental Maturity	Gr. 12	105 (IQ)	108 (IQ)	+ 3	Intelligence
American Council Civics and Gov't.	Gr. 12	119	124	+ 5	Achievement (Bugbee)
Columbia Research Bureau Chemistry	Gr. 12	68	86	+18	Achievement (Bryant)
Myers-Ruch High School Achievement	Gr. 11	34	35	+ 1	Achievement (General)
American Council American History	Gr. 11	81	73	- 8	Achievement (Bugbee)
Columbia Research French I	Gr. 11&12	113	86	-27	Achievement (Hammond)
Columbia Research French II	Gr. 10&11	150	147	- 3	Achievement (Hammond)
Columbia Research Physics	Gr. 11	46	48	+ 2	Achievement (Bryant)
Columbia Research Algebra I	Gr. 9	17	25	+ 8	Achievement (Ballou)
Myers-Ruch H. S. Progress	Gr. 10	31.5	28.5	- 3	Achievement (General)
Columbia Research Plane Geometry	Gr. 10	30	35	+ 5	Achievement (Ballou)
White Latin (1st year)	Gr. 9	157	135	-22	Achievement (Buinicky)
Sones-Harry H. S. Progress	Gr. 12	163	170	+ 7	Achievement (General)

TABLE VII FORTY-FIFTH ANNUAL FAIRBANKS  
PRIZE SPEAKING CONTEST

First Prize — Sally Brill	"Jean-Marie", by Audre Theuriet
Second Prize — William Latvala	"Afraid of the Dark", by William E. Callahan
Third Prize — Irene Gobin	"The Last Leaf", by O. Henry

Towle High School  
Table VIII

February 1, 1950

# STUDENTS ACTIVITIES FINANCIAL REPORT

Accounts	Balance Jan. 1, 1950	Receipts of 1949	Total 1949 Receipts	Expenditures of 1949	Balance of Account
Class of '50	\$ 510.86	\$ 633.47	\$ 1,144.33	\$ 210.33	\$ 934.00
Class of '51	125.03	36.10	161.13	19.23	141.90
Class of '52	65.82	15.00	80.82	8.95	71.87
Class of '53	.02		.02		.02
Audio-Visual	54.42		54.42		54.42
Student Council	190.43	25.85	216.28	100.53	115.75
Dramatics and Forensics	36.72	101.00	137.72	54.90	82.82
Spirit of Towle	361.67	117.80	479.47	.40	479.07
Yearbook	--26.50		--26.50		--26.50
Music Department Fund	39.73	83.70	123.43	19.50	103.93
Magazine Fund	146.73		146.73		146.73
Totals	\$ 1,504.93	\$ 1,012.92	\$ 2,517.85	\$ 413.84	\$ 2,104.01

Cash Balance in Bank -- \$2,104.01

ERNEST M. PERKINS,  
Headmaster  
NANCY G. JOZEFOWICZ,  
Faculty Treasurer



## TABLE IX LIST OF GRADUATES—CLASS OF 1949

## Academic

Butler, Barbara Ann  
 Elfstrom, Berger Randolph  
 Geoffrion, Florence Jeanette  
 Hutchinson, John Howland  
 Jobs, Sarah Ann  
 Kelley, Jacqueline Malcolm  
 Koski, Charles Eino  
 Leavitt, Charles Frank  
 Libby, Barbara Jane  
 Meyette, Mary Catherine  
 Perkins, Chandler Martin  
 Perkins, Harold Everett  
 Richardson, Gloria Elizabeth  
 Rollins, Robert Howard  
 Shaw, Joan Alice  
 Sumner, Donald Martin  
 Webster, George Herbert  
 Woodhull, Elizabeth Jean

## Commercial

Anderson, Carolyn Elizabeth  
 Bean, O. A. Prunella  
 Bell, Dorothy May  
 Booth, Alice Janet  
 Faughnan, Frances Mary Anne  
 Filiault, June Ruth  
 Grenon, Helen Irene  
 La Porte, Vivian May  
 Legacy, Joyce Ann  
 May, Dorothy Phyllis  
 Parks, Francese Stella  
 Shackett, Virginia Louise  
 Shedd, Madeline Marie  
 Zahareas, Stella

## General

Avery, Daniel C.  
 Bernier, Alfred David, Jr.  
 Berquist, Phyllis Elaine  
 Brooks, Eleanor Helen  
 Campbell, Harold Hall  
 Chapman, Robert  
 Coronis, John Charles  
 Cuciufiti, Elaine  
 Douglas, Thomas Raymond  
 Glazier, Norman Bert  
 Gonyea, Joseph Francis  
 Gove, Edmund Gerald  
 Jussaume, Robert Raymond  
 Kanto, Sulo Richard  
 Laber, Alfred Wilmer  
 Leavitt, Walter Phelps  
 Leland, David Paul  
 Newton, Randolph Gilman  
 Patten, Ronald Frank  
 Perry, Peter Olin  
 Pévine, Gloria Linda  
 Prior, Robert A.  
 Putnam, Catherine Julia  
 Ricker, Joan Margaret  
 Rochford, William Donald  
 Rodeschin,

Catherine Josephine  
 Sargent, David Jasper  
 Waldo, Richard Francis  
 Welch, Edward Joseph  
 Wilson, Ralph Amos  
 Wirtanen, Pentti

## Ex-Service

Leone, Ralph  
 Upham, Kenneth

## REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

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Mr. Gordon B. Flint  
Supt. of Schools  
Newport, N. H.

Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my annual report as school nurse.

During this past year we have had the usual amount of colds, headaches and first aids.

In the spring we had an epidemic of Mumps and early this winter, an epidemic of Chicken Pox.

In April and May, Toxoid Clinics were held for children under eight years of age at the Town Hall, a service rendered by the State Board of Health.

Posture classes were arranged for the girls and boys of grades six, seven and eight and were held at the Richards School under the supervision of Coach Barry during the Spring.

In March, some Student Nurses from New Hampshire State Hospital came to talk to the girls of Towle and the Richards School interested in a school of nursing.

The children have attended Tuberculosis Clinics and Child Guidance Clinics.

In May a Pre-School Clinic was carried on for registration of children coming to school for the first time. It was sponsored by the P. T. A. Dr. Roe and Dr. Weigle did a Physical examination on each child. Also, a vision test was given each child. The parents of those children who failed the test were given the advice to have corrections made before the children entered school.

This year we seem to have more children carrying lunches to school and there is more need for a hot lunch program.

With the usual assistance from the Red Cross, we are having a dental program of the Fluorine Treatment to the teeth of the children in grades one, four and eight. Dr. Keane is giving the treatment.

In closing my report, I wish to thank all citizens and organizations for their support and financial aid, and to Mr. Flint the teachers and the parents of the children for their cooperation.

## January 1, 1949 to January 1, 1950

School Visits	471
Home Visits	126
Vision Tests	457
Defective Vision	77
Hearing Tests	489
Some Loss of Hearing	12
Physical Examinations by Dr. Roe and Dr. Weigle	78
Weighed and Measured	1075
Toxoid Innoculations	90

Respectfully submitted,

MARGUERITE P. TALLMAN

School Nurse

# REGISTRATION AND ATTENDANCE, 1948-1949

School	Grade	Total Registration	No. of Boys	Average Attendance	Average Membership	Per Cent of Attendance	Average No. of Tardinesses
Towle High School	9-12	278	130	245.61	260.83	94.15	3.65
Richards School	7-8	192	97	169.06	177.55	95.22	.65
	6	120	61	109.12	114.67	95.16	1.48
	5	94	44	85.70	90.42	94.78	1.15
	4	98	51	90.00	93.30	96.46	1.60
Primary School	3	63	33	57.76	60.39	95.64	1.15
	2	107	59	92.14	98.86	93.20	.48
	1	120	58	101.72	110.67	91.91	.79
North Newport	1-4	20	9	18.11	18.96	95.51	2.80
Guild	1-4	22	10	19.40	20.96	92.60	.43
Kelleyville							
(closed Oct. 8, 1948)							
Totals		1114	552	1004.94	1063.61	94.46	1.33

## EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATES – 1949

Amidon, Alton  
Barrett, Edward  
Bartlett, Robert  
Beauchaine, Elaine  
Blaisdell, Harold  
Blodgett, Shelia  
Brooks, Harriet  
Bussiere, Kathleen  
Butler, Thomas  
Cloutier, Walter  
Coronis, Angelo  
Cote, Peter  
Cunningham, Robert  
Currier, Marjorie  
Deubel, Richard  
Devenger, Gwendolyn  
Duchesne, Janet  
Dziedicz, Janet  
Emerson, Geraldine  
Fletcher, Luther  
Flint, Martha  
Gentes, Adrian  
George, Shirley  
Glazier, Philip  
Gobin, Alyce  
Gonyea, James  
Gosselin, Barbara  
Goyette, William  
Goyette, Valderese  
Hackett, William  
Hemingway, Davis  
Hirsch, Allen  
Holt, Maxine  
Jessaume, Ronald  
Kainu, Bertha  
Kelly, Peter

Kemp, Louise  
Kimball, Betty  
Laakso, Celia  
Lamothe, Andre  
Lamphere, Barbara  
Larkin, Betty  
Laroche, Lucy  
Lord, Nancy  
MacConnell, Frank  
Matthews, Nancy  
Morrill, Zora  
Mudgett, Barbara  
Murgatroy, Carolyn  
Newell, Joyce  
Pariseau, Marjorie  
Richardson, Joanne  
Reasoner, Ronald  
Riley, Jeannine  
Rodeschin, Freida  
Rothstein, Robert  
Scranton, John  
Scribner, Cecil  
Shedd, Alyce  
Shepard, Cynthia  
Smith, Darald  
Smith, Iraldine  
Smith, Jack C.  
Spear, Donald  
Swenson, Donald  
Tebo, Norman  
Truell, Lena  
Usko, Alexander  
Webster, Betty  
Wilson, Margaret  
Wright, James  
Wright, Jean  
Zielinski, Patricia



## PERSONNEL OF SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

1949 - 1950

## TOWLE HIGH SCHOOL

Name	Training Institution	Certificate or Degree	Total Years Teaching	Years in Newpost
Ernest M. Perkins, Headmaster	New Hampshire U.	M. A.	16	16
Willis H. Ballou, Mathematics	Tufts	M. S.	17	4
Irene Berg, Biology	Plymouth Teachers	B. E.	3	3
William L. Bryant, Science	New Hampshire U.	M. E.	22	3
Orimer Bugbee, History and Government	Bates	B. A.	12	12
Henry Buinicky, Latin & English	St. Anselm's College	A. B.	4	2
Kathryn M. Couitt, Personal Typing	Gorham Normal	1 Yr. Cert.	19	17
Ella M. Donovan, Home Economics	Keene Teachers	B. E.	16	9
Charlotte H. Hammond, English & French	Columbia	B. A.	4	2
Nancy G. Jozefowicz, Commerce	Nasson	B. S.	5	3
John E. Sideris, Social Science	New Hampshire U.	M. Ed.	7	7
Bronia Sielewicz, English	Boston University	M. A.	2	2
RICHARDS SCHOOL				
Joseph D. Vaughan, Principal	Bates	A. B.	35	18
Scott E. Hastings, Jr., Shop and Mechanical Drawing	Keene Teachers	B. E.	1½	1½
Irene H. Johnson, Grade 5	Keene Teachers	B. E.	6	6
Helga E. Ketchen, English	Keene Teachers		26½	24½

John L. Liberman, Geography and Math.	Rollins College	A. B.	3	3
Fern E. Lloyd, Grade 5	Keene Teachers	B. S.	9	1
James D. Osgood, General Science & Math.	New Hampshire U.	M. E.	10	4
Eva Sanborn, Grade 6	Plymouth Teachers		33	5
Natalie S. Anderson, Civics and History	New Hampshire U.	A. B.	16	16
Grace Scranton, Grade 4	Keene Teachers	2 Yr. Cert.	21½	10
Elsie G. Seed, Grade 6	Keene Teachers	2 Yr. Cert.	4	3
Pauline H. Stoddard, Grade 6	Keene Teachers	3 Yr. Cert.	5	2
Helen N. Tenney, Grade 5	Keene Teachers	2 Yr. Cert.	11	11
Anna L. White, Grade 4	Plymouth Teachers	2 Yr. Cert.	18½	13
Ruth C. Brown, Grade 3	Keene Teachers	3 Yr. Cert.	11	3
Verna Sargent, Grade 3	Plymouth Teachers	B. E.	6	4
Riva A. Hall, Grade 3	Louisiana State Normal	B. A.	6	2

## PRIMARY SCHOOL

Bertha P. Wilmarth, Principal & Grade 2	Plymouth Teachers	2 Yr. Cert.	41	41
Ina R. Bombard, Grade 2	Keene Teachers	2 Yr. Cert.	17	2
Beulah B. Butler, Grade 1	Potsdam	2 Yr. Cert.	15	5
Katherine E. Coggeshall, Remedial	Brattleboro Teacher Training	1 Yr. Cert.	13	3
Hazel F. Dodge, Grade 1	Plymouth Teachers		31	2
Dorothy Henault, Grade 1	Keene Teachers	3 Yr. Cert.	11	11
Elizabeth Mahoney, Grade 2	Keene Teachers	2 Yr. Cert.	26	26
Alice A. Nickerson, Grade 1	Plymouth Teachers	2 Yr. Cert.	17	4

## GUILD SCHOOL

Elizabeth N. Locke, Grades 1-4	Fitchburg Teacher Training	1 Yr. Cert.	25	5
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John G. Barry	BOYS' SUPERVISOR OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION University of Michigan	B. S.	5	4
Phyllis J. Karpinski	GIRLS' SUPERVISOR OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION New Hampshire U.	B. S.	1	1
Joseph S. Herne	SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC New Hampshire U.	B. S.	2	2

## TRANSPORTATION—JANUARY 1, 1950

Transporter	Route	Pupils Carried
Newport School District	Kelleyville-Whitcher Road	43
	Guild	33
	Unity Road	32
	North Newport	43
	Maple Street Extension	19
	Ryder Corner	29
	Chandler's Mills	38
	East Mt.-Goshen Road	33
Total Number of Pupils Carried		270

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NO-SCHOOL SIGNAL

When the weather is so bad that it is inadvisable for children to attend school, the no-school signal will be sounded by the fire whistle at 7:30 in the morning. The signal is 2-2-2. When it is necessary to close school in the morning it will mean that school sessions will be omitted all day. It would be practically impossible to get bus and tuition pupils to attend an afternoon session only.

The no-school signal will also be given on radio station WKNE and WTSV at 7:00, 7:35 and 8:00 A. M.

When the weather conditions make a single session advisable, the fire whistle will be sounded at 11:15 A. M. This will signify classes continuing beyond the usual noon dismissal but closing soon thereafter for the day.

## ENROLLMENT, JANUARY 1, 1950

School	Grade	No. Pupils	No. Rooms	Schools
Primary	1	118	4	207
	2	89	3	
Richards	3	103	3	563
	4	70	2	
	5	100	3	
	6	87	3	
	7	120	3	
	8	83	2	
Towle	9	85		263
	10	71		
	11	58		
	12	48		
	P.G.	1		
Guild	1-4	18	1	18
Total number of pupils enrolled in all schools				<hr/> 1051



## REPORT OF THE NEWPORT SCHOOL BOARD

on the

## George B. Wheeler School Fund

(Period from July 1, 1949 through January 23, 1950)

## REVENUE

Balance received from K. P. Stoddard, Treasurer, June 30, 1949	\$ 76,054.41	
Sugar River Savings Bank	5,889.80	
Sale of Kelleyville School	1,075.00	
Sale of U. S. Treasury 1 1/8% Certificates of Indebtedness and Accrued Interest	70,023.57	
Balance of Agency Account, National Shawmut Bank of Boston	1,118.00	
Total		<u>\$154,160.78</u>

## EXPENDITURES

John W. McCrillis	\$ 143.85	
Gauthier & Woodard	143.84	
Argus Press	16.20	
Claremont Publishing Company, Inc.	3.50	
Donald D. Snyder & Son, Inc.	116,283.80	
Kenneth Andler	10.00	
Berger Manufacturing Company of Mass.	484.61	
Lyford & Magenau	1,998.18	
M. E. O'Brien & Sons	2,602.22	
Moore & Emerson	56.07	
Jacob M. Shulins	315.50	
Horn Brothers Company	10,248.28	
Beckley-Cardy Company	103.64	
Kalmus-Golden, Inc.	104.15	
Ray S. Snyder Company	692.76	
Arthur T. Costigan	425.82	
Total		<u>\$133,632.42</u>
Balance as of January 23, 1950		\$ 20,528.36

HARRY M. WOODARD  
DONALD E. MESSER  
JOHN F. LEE, Chairman  
MADLON F. KARR, Secretary  
GUY A. DODGE, SR.  
Newport School Board

SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 43  
SCHOOL CALENDAR  
1950-1951

Opening of School	September 6
State Teachers' Convention	October 19, 20
Thanksgiving Recess	Nov. 22 (one session) to Nov. 27
Christmas Recess	Dec. 20 to Jan. 2
February Recess	Feb. 16 to Feb. 26
April Recess	April 20 to April 30
Memorial Day	May 30
Close of School	June 15

# NEWPORT SCHOOL BUDGET

## 1950-51 With Comparisons

	Budget Comm. Budget 1950-51	School Board's Recommended Budget, 1950-51	Budget 1949-1950	Spent 1948-49
District Officers	\$ 505.00	\$ 505.00	\$ 705.00	\$ 655.00
Salaries, Other Admin. Personnel	225.00	225.00	225.00	253.50
Admin. Supplies & Expenses	645.00	645.00	820.00	1,418.28*
Teachers' Salaries	114,175.00	114,175.00	114,425.00	96,706.87
Books & Other Instructional Aids	3,150.00	3,150.00	3,500.00	3,024.42
Scholars' Supplies	5,850.00	5,850.00	6,500.00	5,660.89
Other Instructional Expenses	1,534.35	1,534.35	2,012.50	1,837.01
Salaries of Janitors	8,820.00	8,820.00	8,692.00	6,846.30
Fuel & Heat	6,850.00	6,850.00	6,300.00	5,764.10
Light & Janitors' Supplies, etc.	3,287.00	3,287.00	3,198.00	2,809.60
Repairs & Replacements	3,200.00	3,200.00	4,700.00	4,841.25
Health Supervision	1,450.00	1,450.00	2,850.00	2,744.77
Transportation	6,975.00	6,975.00	7,095.00	7,374.81
Tuition				51.49
Special Activities	1,850.00	1,850.00	2,950.00	3,508.55#
Insurance & Bonds	1,290.00	1,290.00	1,197.00	1,491.76
Rent			300.00	1,205.00
Additions & Improvements to Buildings				4,460.27
New Equipment	950.00	950.00	2,070.00	2,186.01
Contingency Fund	500.00	500.00		

## Other Legal Requirements:

Retirement & Fixed Charges	5,228.38	5,228.38	4,552.00	3,695.83
Per Capita Tax	2,116.00	2,116.00	2,098.00	2,118.00
Union Expenses:				
Superintendent's Salary	2,160.00	2,160.00	2,062.50	1,875.00
Clerical Service	1,831.80	1,831.80	1,936.00	1,958.00*
Admin. Supplies & Expenses	681.00@	681.00@		
Principal on Debt	8,000.00	8,000.00	3,000.00	
Interest on Debt	2,047.50	2,047.50	2,356.25	540.00
Totals	\$183,321.03	\$183,321.03	\$183,544.25	\$163,026.71
* Total reimbursement for clerical supplies and expenses		\$681.47		
# Reimbursement for School Lunch		\$649.02		
@ Includes office rent				

ESTIMATED INCOME  
1950-1951

Tuition	\$ 8,000.00
Rental of Property	540.00
Grange Hall	\$240.00
Wheeler Gym	\$300.00
Balance, June 30, 1950	1,500.00
Sale of Supplies	100.00
Total	<u>\$ 10,140.00</u>

## SCHOOL WARRANT

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Newport, in the County of Sullivan, in the State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in district affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District on the eleventh day of March, 1950, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.

Article 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Article 3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

Article 4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Article 5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.

Article 6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

Article 8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the districts, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

Article 9. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to make alterations, enlargements and improvements to the Central Building, so-called, to provide a school bus garage and Superintendent's offices, and for the purchase of any necessary new equipment therefor, and further to authorize the School Board to make, execute and deliver any and all agreement and contracts as may be required in connection with the same, and pass any vote in relation thereto.



Article 10. To see if the District will vote to raise, appropriate and borrow a sum not exceeding ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) for the purpose of making alterations, enlargements and improvements to the Central Building, so-called, and for the purchase of any necessary new equipment therefor, and for this purpose to authorize the School Board to issue obligations of the Newport School District in the form of serial notes or bonds, payable exclusively from funds to be raised by taxation, and to authorize the School Board to determine the terms and conditions upon which the notes or bonds shall be issued; said serial notes or bonds to be signed by the School Board or a majority thereof, and the School Treasurer, in accordance with the Statutes of New Hampshire in such case made and provided, and pass any vote in relation thereto. (This item is not included in the budget with a suggested appropriation.)

Article 11. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands this 20th day of February, 1950.

HARRY M. WOODARD  
DONALD E. MESSER  
JOHN F. LEE  
MADLON F. KARR  
GUY A. DODGE  
Newport School Board

A true copy of Warrant—attest:

HARRY M. WOODARD  
DONALD E. MESSER  
JOHN F. LEE  
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Newport School Board











